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Region 1, Shreveport was awarded the regional attendance award. A letter of citation was given Mrs. Ellen D. Couvillion, of Avoyelles parish, for annual parish membership which was 132 members over the quota. Lincoln parish stood second in this regard.

The entire membership, announced by Mrs. Barbara H. Thies, executive secretary, is 1,732 which is a record high for the organization.

The next convention city was not determined.

## HEINRICHS IS TEMPORARY HEAD OF FINNISH FORCES

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, April 30.—(AP)—General Axel E. Heinrichs, Finnish chief of staff, was reported Friday to have succeeded Field Marshal Baron Carl Gustaf Mannerheim temporarily as commander-in-chief of the Finnish forces.

Heinrichs is a member of the old Jaeger group of Finnish officers trained in Germany and is regarded here as an outstanding field officer with pro-German leanings.

## U. S. ENDS RELATIONS WITH PRO-VICHY MARTINIQUE HEAD

### Hull Says Admiral Robert Under Domination Of Germans; Knox Asserts Navy Watching Developments

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—The United States has broken off relations with Martinique and our navy is watching developments in the island territory—only segment of the once-vast French colonial empire which is not under the Axis heel and yet remains aloof from the war.

Secretary of the Navy Knox, speaking late Friday several hours after Secretary Hull had announced the abrogation of informal agreements with Martinique, declined to indicate what the next American move would be, but observed:

"We have representatives right there in Martinique."

Knox explained that the navy has "always had observation there" at the island. He told a press conference there is no special patrol of American warships around the island, but explained that Martinique lies amid America's Caribbean defenses, where ships and planes constantly operate.

Secretary Hull, in a blistering note to the French high commission, Admiral Georges Robert, said the United States will not continue to "recognize or negotiate with any French representative in the Antilles who remains subservient or maintains contact with the Vichy regime" in France, which he denounced as "now an integral part of the Nazi system."

Knox said no reply had been received to Hull's note. He said the French warships at the island—the aircraft carrier Bearn and the cruiser Emile Bertin and also the training cruiser Jeanne D'Arc at Guadeloupe—had been immobilized and demilitarized in accordance with agreements made by Robert about a year ago. The demilitarization was carried out under supervision of the American navy.

Moreover, Knox asserted, there is now very little if any oil there which would be available for operating those

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## RAIDS ON JAP ISLES HERALD U. S. ATTACK

By Charles P. Arnot
(American Correspondent With U. S. Forces in the Central Pacific)
(Distributed By Associated Press)

WITH A U. S. ARMY AERIAL TASK FORCE IN CENTRAL PACIFIC, April 24.—(Delayed)—Major General Willis H. Hale, commander of the Seventh air force, studied a map of the central Pacific combat zone today and promised that this week's heavy American bomber assaults on Japan's outlying bases of Nauru and Tarawa were merely a "warmup" for the forthcoming blows against the enemy strongholds guarding the main avenue to the Japanese empire.

"It is no secret that these raids were the prelude of offensive action in the big central Pacific area," he declared as we sat in the headquarters of this advanced operational bases.

"The attacks on Nauru and Tarawa themselves fulfilled the prediction made after the December raid on Wake island that the enemy could expect to be hit harder and more often as our plans develop," General Hale said.

The daylight assault on phosphate-rich Nauru on April 21 and the moonlit raid on Tarawa 36 hours later represented the longest combined offensive invasion by an American bomber force in any theater of war.

"The fact that our bombers were able to range out to such Japanese bases means we can reduce the defenses of such lands by air. Even now our bombers are laying the groundwork for the future seizure of enemy bases to push back the Japanese outposts," the general added.

He said concentrated bombings would be followed by actual occupation of islands from which Japan proper and other island possessions could be reached. The general declined to discuss these plans in detail.

"Who will the Japs when they are going to be hit? I can tell you this time that the blows are coming."

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## SUB MENACE GROWS IN SOUTH PACIFIC

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, Saturday, May 1.—(AP)—The Japanese have opened a submarine attack in force to the east of Australia, the high command reported today in its noon communique.

General Douglas MacArthur said details of the submarine activity could not be released immediately.

Within recent months the communique at times have reported sporadic sinkings of vessels by single submarines but this was the first intimation that the Japanese might be sending out their subs in groups after the manner of the Nazi "wolf packs."

"The enemy has launched a submarine attack in some force in the waters east of Australia," the communique said.

"Details will be given as soon as their release will not assist in his operations. This will somewhat delay their chronological recording in the communique."

On the aerial front, there was only reconnaissance to the northwest of Australia and limited action against New Ireland, New Britain and New Guinea to the northeast.

Above New Britain near Kavieng, New Ireland, a cargo ship was bombed by a four-engined Allied bomber on reconnaissance.

On New Britain, airdromes at Gasmata and Cape Gloucester were attacked. Enemy planes were caught on the ground at Cape Gloucester.

In the Mubo area of New Guinea, where enemy and Allied ground forces face each other, enemy positions were bombed and strafed by attack planes. Lae, on the Huon gulf, was bombed by a single heavy plane.

## NAVY BOMBER DESTROYS JAP SUB IN ALEUTIANS

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—A Catalina patrol bomber sunk a Japanese submarine off the Aleutian islands with a blast of two depth charges, the navy reported Friday.

The bomber's pilot, Leland L. Davis, 26, of Hattiesburg, Miss., was awarded the navy cross. Davis was listed as missing from another patrol flight made later on the same, unspecified day.

Almost immediately after two depth charges were released the submarine's tanks exploded and it emerged bow first with a large oil slick spreading on each side of its hull.

The bomber's crew raked the submarine from bow to stern with machine gun fire, but the depth charges had dealt a fatal blow, and within a few minutes it sank stern first.

## DUTCH URGED TO RESIST ROUNDUP

### Government In Exile Calls On Former Soldiers To Elude Germans

LONDON, April 30.—(AP)—Four hundred thousand Dutch soldiers, ordered interned by German occupation authorities in Holland, were told by the Netherlands government in London Friday to resist the Nazi decree by making themselves "unfindable."

Swiss dispatches said that the roundup of the disarmed Dutch forces already had started and that 18,500 had been arrested and sent to 14 concentration camps near the German border.

Over radio Orange, the official Netherlands station the government advised the men to hide if possible.

"Don't register," they were told. "Keep quiet. Disregard all orders and decrees. This is the advice the Netherlands government gives you. Disregard summonses. Try to make yourselves unfindable."

The German order was announced Thursday night in a broadcast by the Berlin radio which said officers and men alike, who were interned after Holland capitulated to the Nazis in May, 1940, and later were released on Hitler's orders, had been commanded to report immediately for return to prison camps.

Dispatches from Bern, Switzerland said that strong gestapo formations had been taken into Holland during the past 10 days and that they had been aided by Dutch Nazis in carrying out the initial roundup of 18,500 men.

The Germans were said to be undertaking a systematic classification of the men, with many being shifted from one camp to another in what was believed to be the preliminaries to deportation for some and trial before special tribunals for others.

"There may be two reasons why the Germans took this measure," said the Netherlands government broadcast. "First, the general Netherlands resistance against the Germans. Second, Germany's shortage of labor and soldiers is becoming ever more critical.

"We see three possibilities which may develop: "First, those who register will immediately or later be transferred to German war prisoner camps. Second, the victims will be forced to work in Germany immediately or later. Third, the victims will be forced to form some kind of military legion under the leadership of German officers or of Netherlands traitors for police services somewhere in Europe."

## JAPS PREPARED FOR NEW ATTACKS, GENERAL SAYS

(By Associated Press)

The Tokyo radio quoted Major General Nakao Yahagi, chief of the army press section of imperial headquarters, as announcing in a Nagoya speech Friday that Japan had completed establishment of strategic bases in the southwest Pacific, "thus paving the way for contemplated new operations."

These bases were listed as on Timor Island and to the north, on New Guinea and in the Solomons, all north and northeast of Australia.

Australia, Yahagi said in the broadcast recorded in New York by the Associated Press, is anticipating new operations by the Japanese and "is now in an extremely nervous condition."

## CAUCASUS ACTION HINTS OFFENSIVE OPENED BY REDS

### Several Key Nazi Positions Captured By Russians In New Drive

### MOSCOW REMAINS SILENT ON REPORTS OF ASSAULT

LONDON, Saturday, May 1.—(AP)—Russian troops once more on the move in the northwestern Caucasus were reported by Moscow early today to have captured "several key enemy positions" in a plane-supported drive which the Germans said was another big Red army offensive in which 150,000 men were attacking.

"Soviet aircraft supported the operation of land units and inflicted heavy losses on the enemy," added the midnight communique recorded by the Soviet monitor. "Our assault (Stormovik) planes destroyed several dozen guns and over a battalion of German infantry."

Although the Russian bulletin gave few details of the fighting, Moscow dispatches said that the Russian capital was astir with expectation of great military developments.

Two days ago the Germans reported that a large-scale Russian drive was under way in an effort to eject Axis troops from their last major foothold in the area around the Black sea port of Novorossisk and the Kuban river valley in the Taman peninsula to the north.

Russian reticence is customary whenever big operations are beginning, but the Moscow radio announced early yesterday that Soviet airmen fighting over the Caucasus had shot down 116 German planes in two days, and the latest bulletin also told of the sinking by the Red navy of a German transport in the Black sea.

The naval action apparently occurred off the German-held port of Novorossisk which the Russians need for future operations aimed at the Crimea opposite the Caucasus.

Russian troops by German admission last were reported entrenched in the hills overlooking Novorossisk. The Russians also had fought their way along the Taman peninsula to the north to a point 25 miles from German-held Temryuk on the sea of Azov.

The midnight communique reported action also on the north coast of the sea of Azov west of Rostov where the Russians were stopped close to Taganrog in their winter offensive.

In this area 30 miles west of Rostov Soviet artillerymen were said to have dispersed and partly wiped out a company of German infantry, demolished six blockhouses and dugouts, and silenced six artillery and mortar batteries. Soviet scouts also captured five dugouts, killed 50 Germans and took prisoners and booty in that area which is closely linked with the Caucasian battle.

Only scattered fighting was reported elsewhere along the big front. In the

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## POLES NOT TO PUSH REQUEST FOR PROBE

LONDON, April 30.—(AP)—The Polish government-in-exile said in an official statement Friday that its request for an investigation by the international Red Cross into German charges that Russia had killed 10,000 Polish officers near Smolensk now was regarded "as having lapsed."

The announcement was welcomed immediately in some diplomatic circles here as an indication that the question of an inquiry was not to be pursued, and would aid efforts to mend broken Soviet-Polish diplomatic relations. But these sources said it should have been issued as part of Wednesday's statement which appealed "for the release" of Poles still in Russia.

Despite Friday's announcement Soviet circles took the view that the question of an inquiry had become a secondary matter. The British Press Association quoted one Russian source as saying:

"It is now a comparatively minor point. The Poles will have to go a long way further before there is any hope of healing the breach. The Polish statement tonight was the least the government could have done and it only was issued in response to world opinion."

Russia severed diplomatic relations with the Polish government-in-exile last Sunday, climaxing weeks of mounting tension resulting from the German Smolensk story.

# Axis Strives Desperately To Stem Drive By Allies

### NEW CHIEF OF RED ARMY

Marshal A. M. Vassilevsky (right) has been identified by the official Russian news agency, Tass, as chief of the general staff of the Red army, in the first indication that a formal change had been made in the Russian top command. Here Michael Kalinin, president of the U. S. S. R., presents the Order of Suvorov, first grade, to Vassilevsky. The command has been held by Marshal Boris Shaposhnikov. This picture reached the United States by way of London.

## Stalin Hails Allied Air Blows As Prelude To Second Front In Europe

## BROWN PROMISES TO HOLD THE LINE

### Says Wage Demands Of Miners Must Be Denied; Prices To Be Kept Down

WASHINGTON, April 30—(AP)—Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown, declaring it is not true that living costs have outstripped wage increases, promised Friday night to "contend price control across the board, [illegible] every important commodity" and to roll back all prices that have got out of hand.

Speaking on the eve of an imminent shutdown in the nation's eastern coal fields, brought on by the United Mine Workers' demands for a $2 a day wage increase, Brown declared:

"I recognize how strong are the claims of the coal miners . . . But I cannot say too strongly that the coal miners can not better their position in a race between wages and the cost of living."

Brown's speech, prepared for broadcast over the Mutual network, was a fresh indication that the administration was standing by President Roosevelt's ultimatum that he would act unless work stoppages in the coal fields ceased by 10 a.m. Saturday.

"Today we are faced by a crisis on the wage front," Brown said. "Demands are now being made for substantial wage increases. I am compelled to speak in opposition, just as a month ago I spoke up in opposition to the proposed rise in farm prices. I am compelled to point out that if this wage increase is granted, increases cannot be denied to workers in other industries and increased prices cannot be denied to farmers. These increases in wages and in farm prices can only mean further rise in the cost of living. What will it profit workers to have more dollars in their pay envelopes if it takes all these extra dollars, and perhaps more, to feed and clothe their families'"

Turning to his program aimed at further stabilization between pay and living costs, the OPA chief said:

"I have drawn up a four point program to control and in many instances to roll back the cost of living and then to hold it. I have instructed my staff to put this program into

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### Calls For Unconditional Nazi Surrender In May Day Order To Troops

LONDON, Saturday, May 1.—(AP)—Premier Joseph Stalin in a May day order of the day declared that shattering air blows by the Americans and British in the west foreshadowed the opening of a second front in Europe, and he ridiculed any Hitler peace talk.

He ruled out compromise by reiterating the words of President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill in calling for the "unconditional surrender of Hitlerite Germany."

"It is now clear that only the utter routing of the Hitlerite armies and the unconditional surrender of Hitlerite Germany can bring peace to Europe," Stalin said.

He praised the Allied air blows against Germany and Italy in the west, and the Allied ground gains in Africa, and said those factors combined with the Red Army's winter successes had placed Germany in a critical position.

"It is clear that it is not because things are going well with us that the Germans are babbling about peace," he said.

"The babble about peace in fascist camps indicates only that they are going through a great crisis."

The leader of all the Russians told his army and people that combined Allied operations which foreshadow "the formation of a second front in Europe" already had "shaken the Hitlerite war machine to its foundation," and had changed the course of the world war to create the "military prerequisite for victory."

The Germans and Italians, he said, are "facing catastrophe," but he warned that the final road to victory would not be easy.

"Another two or three powerful blows from the west and east are needed, such as that dealt to the Hitlerite army in the past five or six months, for the catastrophe of Hitlerite Germany to become an accomplished fact."

The events leading up to the Axis "crisis" were traced by Stalin in his message.

At Stalingrad where the great Soviet offensive of the past winter began he said the Red army had "liquidated" two Axis armies and had captured more than 300,000 prisoners.

Meanwhile in Africa he said the victorious troops of our Allies," the United States and Britain, began sweeping the Germans and Italians out of Africa and simultaneously the "valiant Anglo-American air force" struck "shattering blows at military and industrial centers of Germany and Italy, foreshadowing the formation of a second front in Europe."

"Thus," he said, "for the first time since the beginning of the war a blow at the enemy from the east dealt by the Red army merged with a blow from the west dealt by troops of our Allies into one joint blow.

"All these circumstances taken together have shaken the Hitlerite war machine to its foundation, have changed the course of the world war, and created the military prerequisite for victory over Hitlerite Germany."

## PRESIDENT SIGNS BILL FOR LAND ARMY FUNDS

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—President Roosevelt signed Friday legislation appropriating $26,100,000 to finance a land army to meet farm shortages in various parts of the country.

The labor will be recruited and assigned largely by state and federal extension services.

## FIERCE ATTACKS ARE HURLED AGAINST ADVANCING TROOPS IN HEIGHTS GUARDING TUNIS

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, April 30.—(AP)—Axis defensive smashes reached the proportions of a counter-offensive Friday as enemy tanks and infantry were flung against recently catpured Allied positions all along the front.

The fighting rose to the bloodiest pitch since the British, Americans and French began their all-front drive to throw the enemy into the sea.

Before the strongest of all Axis counter-attacks—against the Djebel Bou Aoukaz overlooking the open plain leading down to Tunis—the British First army was beating back strongly from generally maintained positions.

To the north the Americans made slight gains, although forced to fight off unending enemy counter-thrusts.

Dispatches from the field put one American force, fighting alongside the French, within three miles of Lake Achkel and within 20 airline miles southwest of Bizerte itself. This was in the Sedjenane valley. (Another French force, beating forward upon Bizerte along the Mediterranean coast, was said by the French command in a broadcast communique to have advanced 2½ miles. This force appeared to have reached to a point 22 miles due west of Bizerte.

South of Achkel sector, in the region above Sidi N'Sir, the Americans had broken forward substantially, compelling the enemy to withdraw on the Djebel Anntra to avoid being outflanked.

In the Jefna sector, roughly midway between the Achkel and Sidi N'Sir areas, some progress was reported in the mountainous terrain shielding Mateur through hundreds of German mines and booby-traps.

The French forces along the lower end of the most active front broke,

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### Hitler Has Puppets Lined Up For 1943 'Crusade' In East

Interpretation By
GLENN BABB
(Wide World War Analyst)

The sorry procession of the satellites and quislings through Hitler's headquarters, symbolizing his mobilization of all the resources within his grasp for the summer's defense of his fortress of Europe, must be near its end. The last few visitors have come from the lower levels, Quisling himself, the Croat puppet and now Pierre Laval, instrument of France's enslavement.

The communique in which Berlin announced last night that Hitler had summoned the Frenchman was particularly revealing as to the purpose of these conferences. "In full objectivity," it read, "it was examined what share France will have to bear in the efforts and sacrifices made by the Axis powers for the establishment of the new Europe and in the fight against Bolshevism and against the Anglo-Saxon plutocracies allied with bolshevism, and what advantages will result from such participation for France."

In other words Laval was told what the contribution of unhappy France, greatest of the conquered nations, must be in the coming battle of Europe. Probably he was ordered to furnish further levies of labor, increased industrial output, food and what is left of French shipping.

Some new and ingenious way of using the million and a quarter French prisoners of war for Hitler's purposes may have been arranged. Frenchmen will be fortunate if Hitler does not find means to compel them to raise "volunteer legions" actually to bear arms against their former allies when these land on the continent.

It will be interesting to see whom else the fuehrer may summon in this muster of his minions for the fight

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## JAP PATROL WIPED OUT BY AMERICANS

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—A Japanese patrol of one officer and eight men attempting to escape from Guadalcanal island in the south Pacific was intercepted and destroyed by American troops Wednesday, the navy reported Friday.

A communique, relating this incident, told also of continuing aerial attacks from Guadalcanal against Japanese bases in the Solomon islands with destruction wrought on anti-aircraft positions, piers, runways and the like.

Intercention of the enemy patrol in the vicinity of Beaufort bay, 25 miles southwest of Guadalcanal airfield, resulted in the first reported land skirmish in many weeks on the once embattled island.

What the Japanese patrol was doing on Guadalcanal was not disclosed. It might have been a group of stragglers left hidden in the mountains after organized enemy resistance ceased February 9, or it might have been a fresh fighting unit put ashore from a submarine or small boat to reconnoiter American installations and defense positions.

The air raids reported in the official bulletin covered activities of Thursday which began with an attack by Flying Fortresses on the Japanese air base at Kahili in the Shortland island area of the northwestern Solomons. Poor visibility prevented observation of results.

Subsequently, Avenger torpedo bombers and Dauntless dive bombers with Lightning and Corsair fighters hit enemy installations at Gatere on the southwestern coast of Kolombangara island in the central Solomons. An anti-aircraft position and a pier were destroyed.

## HURLS TOTS FROM ROOF, FOLLOWS THEM TO DEATH

NEW YORK, April 30.—(AP)—A 28-year-old mother threw her two daughters, aged four and five, from the roof of a six-story apartment shortly before noon Friday, authorities said, and then followed them to death on the ground below.

Assistant District Attorney Albert E. Short of Queens county said the case was closed after he had talked with the woman's aunt and had learned the woman who died, Mrs. Rose Tanelian, had stabbed her in a violent quarrel earlier Friday.

Short said Mrs. Tanelian, wife of a dress operator, apparently had taken her life and those of her daughters "because she was stricken with fear" as a result of the stabbing.

## SAYRE OUTLINES POST-WAR PLANS

### Wants World Organization, Backed By Force, To Preserve Peace

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Rome's ancient empire and the commonwealth of nations evolved by imperial Britain blazed the trail which planners of a free post-war world must follow, Francis B. Sayre, special assistant to the secretary of state, said here Friday.

In an address for delivery before the American Society of International Law, Sayre asserted enduring power and mastery in the past have been achieved by those nations which built their strength on foundations of law and justice.

They were "those nations and those peoples which have developed an understanding and a tolerance for other peoples, which have organized protective care for the weak as against the strong, which have sought to safeguard and strengthen the rights of the individual, irrespective of his race or color or physical strength or weakness."

The great ideal of justice to all alike before the law existed long before the rise of remembered empires. But, asserted Sayre, "it is highly significant that the two greatest bodies of law which the world has ever known—the Roman law and the English common law—ensbrining this great principle, constituted the foundations upon which were built two of the greatest empires which the world has known."

"And it is equally significant," he added, "that the strength of these empires has rested primarily not upon the mere physical strength of their armies and their soldiers but upon their legal systems, upon their understanding and regard for the rights of other peoples and upon their progress in learning the great art of governing subject races.

"What Rome and England achieved for their own empire, through the moving up of their great systems of law for the protection of the weak against the strong and the guarantee of impartial justice to all alike, must in a sense be undertaken now for humanity. The whole world must build up a body of practice and of law giving expression to the conscience of mankind insofar as it relates to the rights of nations and of peoples."

Such a task is too much for one peo-

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## 'SCARE BOMB' ADDRESSED TO COUGHLIN IS SEIZED

NUTLEY, N. J., April 30.—(AP)—Post-office employes found in the mails Friday what Newark Detective Captain Frank O'Neill called "a scare bomb" addressed to Reverend Charles E. Coughlin at Royal Oak, Mich.

O'Neill, a bomb expert, fired several rounds of machine gun bullets into it, but it failed to explode. Inside were a clock works, ground glass, a powder not yet analyzed and a nine-page letter not made public.

Father Coughlin is the nationally known priest of the Royal Oak parish's "shrine of the little flower." He was last in the news about a year ago, when postal authorities suspended mailing privileges of the magazine, "Social Justice," on the ground it contained subversive statements.

## Laval Reported Wounded By Bomb On Way Back From Parley With Hitler

(By Associated Press)

The Brazzaville radio of the Fighting French in Equatorial Africa said last night in a broadcast reported to the office of war information by the U. S. government's foreign broadcast intelligence service that Pierre Laval, French chief of government, was injured by a time-bomb while returning to Paris from a conference with Adolf Hitler.

The reported assassination attempt was not confirmed immediately by any source.

The Brazzaville report said a bomb exploded in the sleeping compartment occupied by Laval and his finance secretary, Pierre Cathala, and that Cathala has been wounded seriously. Laval, it was said, was wounded only slightly.

One of the first to collaborate with the Axis, Laval has been an assassin's target before. In August, 1941, he was shot and gravely wounded at Versailles. He recovered after being near death for several days.

The Berlin radio said Laval conferred with Hitler at the latter's headquarters Thursday and that "full understanding" was reached on "questions pending between Germany and Italy on one side and France on the other."

The broadcast, recorded in New York by the Associated Press, said German Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop and Italian Undersecretary of State Giuseppe Bastianini attended the conference.

Making no mention of any violence, the Berlin radio said Laval arrived in Paris at 4:40 p.m. yesterday aboard a special train and was met by French and German officials.

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"(A)—Facilities for exchange of information and opportunity for discussion regarding social welfare problems, resources and methods and

"(B)—A medium for cooperation in promoting the effective operation and development of the public and private special services in the state of Louisiana"

Region 1, Shreveport was awarded the regional attendance award. A letter of citation was given Mrs. Ellen D. Couvillion, of Avoyelles parish, for annual parish membership which was 132 members over the quota. Lincoln parish stood second in this regard.

The entire membership, announced by Mrs. Barbara H. Thies, executive secretary, is 1,732 which is a record high for the organization.

The next convention city was not determined.

## HEINRICHS IS TEMPORARY HEAD OF FINNISH FORCES

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, April 30.—(AP)—General Axel E. Heinrichs, Finnish chief of staff, was reported Friday to have succeeded Field Marshal Baron Carl Gustaf Mannerheim temporarily as commander-in-chief of the Finnish forces.

Heinrichs is a member of the old Jaeger group of Finnish officers trained in Germany and is regarded here as an outstanding field officer with pro-German leanings.

## U. S. ENDS RELATIONS WITH PRO-VICHY MARTINIQUE HEAD

### Hull Says Admiral Robert Under Domination Of Germans; Knox Asserts Navy Watching Developments

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—The United States has broken off relations with Martinique and our navy is watching developments in the island territory—only segment of the once-vast French colonial empire which is not under the Axis heel and yet remains aloof from the war.

Secretary of the Navy Knox, speaking late Friday several hours after Secretary Hull had announced the abrogation of informal agreements with Martinique, declined to indicate what the next American move would be, but observed:

"We have representatives right there in Martinique."

Knox explained that the navy has "always had observation there" at the island. He told a press conference there is no special patrol of American warships around the island, but explained that Martinique lies amid America's Caribbean defenses, where ships and planes constantly operate.

Secretary Hull, in a blistering note to the French high commission, Admiral Georges Robert, said the United States will not continue to "recognize or negotiate with any French representative in the Antilles who remains subservient or maintains contact with the Vichy regime" in France, which he denounced as "now an integral part of the Nazi system."

Knox said no reply had been received to Hull's note. He said the French warships at the island—the aircraft carrier Bearn and the cruiser Emile Bertin and also the training cruiser Jeanne D'Arc at Guadeloupe—had been immobilized and demilitarized in accordance with agreements made by Robert about a year ago. The demilitarization was carried out under supervision of the American navy.

Moreover, Knox asserted, there is now very little if any oil there which would be available for operating those

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## RAIDS ON JAP ISLES HERALD U. S. ATTACK

By Charles P. Arnot
(American Correspondent With U. S. Forces in the Central Pacific)
(Distributed By Associated Press)

WITH A U. S. ARMY AERIAL TASK FORCE IN CENTRAL PACIFIC, April 24.—(Delayed)—Major General Willis H. Hale, commander of the Seventh air force, studied a map of the central Pacific combat zone today and promised that this week's heavy American bomber assaults on Japan's outlying bases of Nauru and Tarawa were merely a "warmup" for the forthcoming blows against the enemy strongholds guarding the main avenue to the Japanese empire.

"It is no secret that these raids were the prelude of offensive action in the big central Pacific area," he declared as we sat in the headquarters of this advanced operational bases.

"The attacks on Nauru and Tarawa themselves fulfilled the prediction made after the December raid on Wake Island that the enemy could expect to be hit harder and more often as our plans develop," General Hale said.

The daylight assault on phosphate-rich Nauru on April 21 and the moonlit raid on Tarawa 26 hours later represented the longest combined offensive mission by an American bomber force in any theater of war.

"The fact that our bombers were able to range out to such Japanese bases means we can reduce the defenses of such lands by air. Even now our bombers are laying the groundwork for the future seizure of enemy bases to push back the Japanese outposts," the general added.

He said concentrated bombings would be followed by actual occupation of islands from which Japan proper and other island possessions could be reached. The general declined to discuss these plans in detail.

"Why tell the Japs when they are going to be hit? I can only say at this time that the blows are coming."

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## SUB MENACE GROWS IN SOUTH PACIFIC

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, Saturday, May 1.—(AP)—The Japanese have opened a submarine attack in force to the east of Australia, the high command reported today in its noon communique.

General Douglas MacArthur said details of the submarine activity could not be released immediately.

Within recent months the communiques at times have reported sporadic sinkings of vessels by single submarines but this was the first intimation that the Japanese might be sending out their subs in groups after the manner of the Nazi "wolf packs."

"The enemy has launched a submarine attack in some force in the waters east of Australia," the communique said.

"Details will be given as soon as their release will not assist in his operations. This will somewhat delay their chronological recording in the communique."

On the aerial front, there was only reconnaisance to the northwest of Australia and limited action against New Ireland, New Britain and New Guinea to the northeast.

Above New Britain near Kavieng, New Ireland, a cargo ship was bombed by a four-engined Allied bomber on reconnaisance.

On New Britain, airdromes at Gasmata and Cape Gloucester were attacked. Enemy planes were caught on the ground at Cape Gloucester.

In the Mubo area of New Guinea, where enemy and Allied ground forces face each other, enemy positions were bombed and strafed by attack planes. Lae, on the Huon gulf, was bombed by a single heavy plane.

## NAVY BOMBER DESTROYS JAP SUB IN ALEUTIANS

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—A Catalina patrol bomber sunk a Japanese submarine off the Aleutian islands with a blast of two depth charges, the navy reported Friday.

The bomber's pilot, Leland L. Davis, 26, of Hattiesburg, Miss., was awarded the navy cross. Davis was listed as missing from another patrol flight made later on the same, unspecified day.

Almost immediately after two depth charges were released the submarine's tanks exploded and it emerged bow first with a large oil slick spreading on each side of its hull.

The bomber's crew raked the submarine from bow to stern with machine gun fire, but the depth charges had dealt a fatal blow, and within a few minutes it sank stern first.

## CAUCASUS ACTION HINTS OFFENSIVE OPENED BY REDS

### Several Key Nazi Positions Captured By Russians In New Drive

### MOSCOW REMAINS SILENT ON REPORTS OF ASSAULT

LONDON, Saturday, May 1.—(AP)—Russian troops once more on the move in the northwestern Caucasus were reported by Moscow early today to have captured "several key enemy positions" in a plane-supported drive which the Germans said was another big Red army offensive in which 150,000 men were attacking.

"Soviet aircraft supported the operation of land units and inflicted heavy losses on the enemy," added the midnight communique recorded by the Soviet monitor. "Our assault (Stormovik) planes destroyed several dozen guns and over a battalion of German infantry."

Although the Russian bulletin gave few details of the fighting, Moscow dispatches said that the Russian capital was astir with expectation of great military developments.

Two days ago the Germans reported that a large-scale Russian drive was under way in an effort to eject Axis troops from their last major foothold in the area around the Black sea port of Novorossisk and the Kuban river valley in the Taman peninsula to the north.

Russian reticence is customary whenever big operations are beginning, but the Moscow radio announced early yesterday that Soviet airmen fighting oevr the Caucasus had shot down 116 German planes in two days, and the latest bulletin also told of the sinking by the Red navy of a German transport in the Black sea.

The naval action apparently occurred off the German-held port of Novorossisk which the Russians need for future operations aimed at the Crimea opposite the Caucasus.

Russian troops by German admission last were reported entrenched in the hills overlooking Novorossisk. The Russians also had fought their way along the Taman peninsula to the north to a point 25 miles from German-held Temryuk on the sea of Azov.

The midnight communique reported action also on the north coast of the sea of Azov west of Rostov where the Russians were stopped close to Taganrog in their winter offensive.

In this area 30 miles west of Rostov Soviet artillerymen were said to have dispersed and partly wiped out a company of German infantry, demolished six blockhouses and dugouts, and silenched six artillery and mortar batteries. Soviet scouts also captured five dugouts, killed 50 Germans and took prisoners and booty in that area which is closely linked with the Caucasian battle.

Only scattered fighting was reported elsewhere along the big front. In the

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## POLES NOT TO PUSH REQUEST FOR PROBE

LONDON, April 30.—(AP)—The Polish government-in-exile said in an official statement Friday that its request for an investigation by the international Red Cross into German charges that Russia had killed 10,000 Polish officers near Smolensk now was regarded "as having lapsed."

The announcement was welcomed immediately in some diplomatic circles here as an indication that the question of an inquiry was not to be pursued, and would aid efforts to mend broken Soviet-Polish diplomatic relations. But these sources said it should have been issued as part of Wednesday's statement which appealed "for the release" of Poles still in Russia.

Despite Friday's announcement Soviet circles took the view that the question of an inquiry had become a secondary matter. The British Press association quoted one Russian source as saying:

"It is now a comparatively minor point. The Poles will have to go a long way further before there is any hope of healing the breach. The Polish statement tonight was the least the government could have done and it only was issued in response to world opinion."

Russia severed diplomatic relations with the Polish government-in-exile last Sunday, climaxing weeks of mounting tension resulting from the German Smolensk story.

## DUTCH URGED TO RESIST ROUNDUP

### Government In Exile Calls On Former Soldiers To Elude Germans

LONDON, April 30.—(AP)—Four hundred thousand Dutch soldiers, ordered interned by German occupation authorities in Holland, were told by the Netherlands government in London Friday to resist the Nazi decree by making themselves "unfindable."

Swiss dispatches said that the roundup of the disarmed Dutch forces already had started and that 18,500 had been arrested and sent to 14 concentration camps near the German border.

Over radio Orange, the official Netherlands station, the government advised the men to hide if possible.

"Don't register," they were told. "Keep quiet. Disregard all orders and decrees. This is the advice the Netherlands government gives you. Disregard summonses. Try to make yourselves unfindable."

The German order was announced Thursday night in a broadcast by the Berlin radio which said officers and men alike, who were interned after Holland capitulated to the Nazis in May, 1940, and later were released on Hitler's orders, had been commanded to report immediately for return to prison camps.

Dispatches from Bern, Switzerland, said that strong gestapo formations had been taken into Holland during the past 10 days and that they had been aided by Dutch Nazis in carrying out the initial roundup of 18,500 men.

The Germans were said to be undertaking a systematic classification of the men, with many being shifted from one camp to another in what was believed to be the preliminaries to deportation for some and trial before special tribunals for others.

"There may be two reasons why the Germans took this measure," said the Netherlands government broadcast. "First, the general Netherlands resistance against the Germans. Second, Germany's shortage of labor and soldiers is becoming ever more critical.

"We see three possibilities which may develop: "First, those who register will immediately or later be transferred to German war prisoner camps. Second, the victims will be forced to work in Germany immediately or later. Third, the victims will be forced to form some kind of military legion under the leadership of German officers or of Netherlands traitors for police services somewhere in Europe."

## JAPS PREPARED FOR NEW ATTACKS, GENERAL SAYS

(By Associated Press)

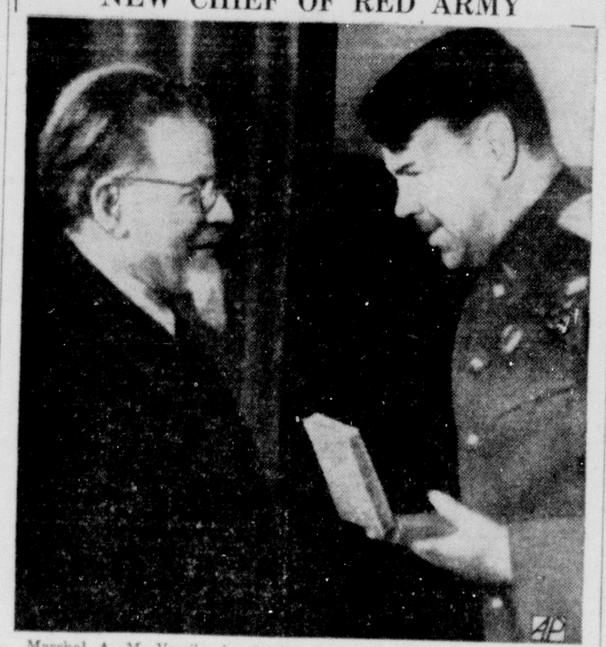
The Tokyo radio quoted Major General Nakao Yahagi, chief of the army press section of imperial headquarters, as announcing in a Nagoya speech Friday that Japan had completed establishment of strategic bases in the southwest Pacific, "thus paving the way for contemplated new operations."

These bases were listed as on Timor Island and to the north, on New Guinea and in the Solomons, all north and northeast of Australia.

Australia, Yahagi said in the broadcast recorded in New York by the Associated Press, is anticipating new operations by the Japanese and "is now in an extremely nervous condition."

# Axis Strives Desperately To Stem Drive By Allies

### NEW CHIEF OF RED ARMY



Marshal A. M. Vassilevsky (right) has been identified by the official Russian news agency, Tass, as chief of the general staff of the Red army, in the first indication that a formal change had been made in the Russian top command. Here Michael Kalinin, president of the U. S. S. R., presents the Order of Suvorov, first grade, to Vassilevsky. The command has been held by Marshal Boris Shaposhnikov. This picture reached the United States by way of London.

## Stalin Hails Allied Air Blows As Prelude To Second Front In Europe

## BROWN PROMISES TO HOLD THE LINE

### Says Wage Demands Of Miners Must Be Denied; Prices To Be Kept Down

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown, declaring it is not true that living costs have outstripped wage increases, promised Friday night to "extend price control across the board, to every important commodity" and to roll back all prices that have got out of hand.

Speaking on the eve of an imminent shutdown in the nation's eastern coal fields, brought on by the United Mine Workers' demands for a $2 a day wage increase, Brown declared:

"I recognize how strong are the claims of the coal miners . . . But I cannot say too strongly that the coal miners can not better their position in a race between wages and the cost of living."

Brown's speech, prepared for broadcast over the Mutual network, was a fresh indication that the administration was standing by President Roosevelt's ultimatum that he would act unless work stoppages in the coal fields ceased by 10 a.m. Saturday.

"Today we are faced by a crisis on the wage front," Brown said. "Demands are now being made for substantial wage increases. I am compelled to speak in opposition, just as a month ago I spoke up in opposition to the proposed rise in farm prices. I am compelled to point out that if this wage increase is granted, increases cannot be denied to workers in other industries and increased prices cannot be denied to farmers. These increases in wages and in farm prices can only mean further rise in the cost of living. What will it profit workers to have more dollars in their pay envelopes if it takes all these extra dollars, and perhaps more, to feed and clothe their families?"

Turning to his program aimed at further stabilization between pay and living costs, the OPA chief said:

"I have drawn up a four point program to control and in many instances to roll back the cost of living and then to hold it. I have instructed my staff to put this program into

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### Calls For Unconditional Nazi Surrender In May Day Order To Troops

LONDON, Saturday, May 1.—(AP)—Premier Joseph Stalin in a May day order of the day declared that shattering air blows by the Americans and British in the west foreshadowed the opening of a second front in Europe, and he ridiculed any Hitler peace talk.

He ruled out compromise by reiterating the words of President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill in calling for the "unconditional surrender of Hitlerite Germany."

"It is now clear that only the utter routing of the Hitlerite armies and the unconditional surrender of Hitlerite Germany can bring peace to Europe," Stalin said.

He praised the Allied air blows against Germany and Italy in the west, and the Allied ground gains in Africa, and said those factors combined with the Red Army's winter successes had placed Germany in a critical position.

"It is clear that it is not because things are going well with us that the Germans are babbling about peace," he said.

"The babble about peace in fascist camps indicates only that they are going through a great crisis."

The leader of all the Russians told his army and people that combined Allied operations which foreshadow "the formation of a second front in Europe" already had "shaken the Hitlerite war machine to its foundation," and had changed the course of the world war to create the "military prerequisite for victory."

The Germans and Italians, he said, are "facing catastrophe," but he warned that the final road to victory would not be easy.

"Another two or three powerful blows from the west and east are needed, such as that dealt to the Hitlerite army in the past five or six months, for the catastrophe of Hitlerite Germany to become an accomplished fact."

The events leading up to the Axis "crisis" were traced by Stalin in his message.

At Stalingrad where the great Soviet offensive of the past winter began he said the Red army had "liquidated" two Axis armies and had captured more than 300,000 prisoners.

Meanwhile in Africa he said the "victorious troops of our Allies," the United States and Britain, began sweeping the Germans and Italians out of Africa and simultaneously the "valiant Anglo-American air force" struck "shattering blows at military and industrial centers of Germany and Italy, foreshadowing the formation of a second front in Europe."

"Thus," he said, "for the first time since the beginning of the war a blow at the enemy from the east dealt by the Red army merged with a blow from the west dealt by troops of our Allies into one joint blow.

"All these circumstances taken together have shaken the Hitlerite war machine to its foundation, have changed the course of the world war, and created the military prerequisite for victory over Hitlerite Germany."

## Laval Reported Wounded By Bomb On Way Back From Parley With Hitler

(By Associated Press)

The Brazzaville radio of the Fighting French in Equatorial Africa said last night in a broadcast reported to the office of war information by the U. S. government's foreign broadcast intelligence service that Pierre Laval, French chief of government, was injured by a time-bomb while returning to Paris from a conference with Adolf Hitler.

The reported assassination attempt was not confirmed immediately by any source.

The Brazzaville report said a bomb exploded in the sleeping compartment occupied by Laval and his finance secretary, Pierre Cathala, and that Cathaea has been wounded seriously. Laval, it was said, was wounded only slightly.

One of the first to collaborate with the Axis, Laval has been an assassin's target before. In August, 1941, he was shot and gravely wounded at Versailles. He recovered after being near death for several days.

The Berlin radio said Laval conferred with Hitler at the latter's headquarters Thursday and that "full understanding" was reached on "questions pending between Germany and Italy on one side and France on the other."

The broadcast, recorded in New York by the Associated Press, said German Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop and Italian Undersecretary of State Giuseppe Bastianini attended the conference.

Making no mention of any violence, the Berlin radio said Laval arrived in Paris at 4:40 p.m. yesterday aboard a special train and was met by French and German officials.

## PRESIDENT SIGNS BILL FOR LAND ARMY FUNDS

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—President Roosevelt signed Friday legislation appropriating $26,100,000 to finance a land army to meet farm shortages in various parts of the country.

The labor will be recruited and assigned largely by state and federal extension services.

## FIERCE ATTACKS ARE HURLED AGAINST ADVANCING TROOPS IN HEIGHTS GUARDING TUNIS

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, April 30.—(AP)—Axis defensive smashes reached the proportions of a counter-offensive Friday as enemy tanks and infantry were flung against recently catpured Allied positions all along the front.

The fighting rose to the bloodiest pitch since the British, Americans and French began their all-front drive to throw the enemy into the sea.

Before the strongest of all Axis counter-attacks—against the Djebel Bou Aoukaz overlooking the open plain leading down to Tunis—the British First army was beating back strongly from generally maintained positions.

To the north the Americans made slight gains, although forced to fight off unending enemy counter-thrusts.

Dispatches from the field put one American force, fighting alongside the French, within three miles of Lake Achkel and within 20 airline miles southwest of Bizerte itself. This was in the Sedjenane valley. (Another French force, beating forward upon Bizerte along the Mediterranean coast, was said by the French command in a broadcast communique to have advanced 2½ miles. This force appeared to have reached to a point 22 miles due west of Bizerte.

South of Achkel sector, in the region above Sidi N'Sir, the Americans had broken forward substantially, compelling the enemy to withdraw on the Djebel Anntra to avoid being outflanked.

In the Jefna sector, roughly midway between the Achkel and Sidi N'Sir areas, some progress was reported in the mountainous terrain shielding Mateur through hundreds of German mines and booby-traps.

The French forces along the lower end of the most active front broke,

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## Hitler Has Puppets Lined Up For 1943 'Crusade' In East

Interpretation By
### GLENN BABB
(Wide World War Analyst)

The sorry procession of the satellites and quislings through Hitler's headquarters, symbolizing his mobilization of all the resources within his grasp for the summer's defense of his fortress of Europe, must be near its end. The last few visitors have come from the lower levels, Quisling himself, the Croat puppet and now Pierre Laval, instrument of France's enslavement.

The communique in which Berlin announced last night that Hitler had summoned the Frenchman was particularly revealing as to the purpose of these conferences. "In full objectivity," it read, "it was examined what share France will have to bear in the efforts and sacrifices made by the Axis powers for the establishment of the new Europe and in the fight against Bolshevism and against the Anglo-Saxon plutocracies allied with bolshevism, and what advantages will result from such participation for France."

In other words Laval was told what the contribution of unhappy France, greatest of the conquered nations, must be in the coming battle of Europe. Probably he was ordered to furnish further levies of labor, increased industrial output, food and what is left of French shipping.

Some new and ingenious way of using the million and a quarter French prisoners of war for Hitler's purposes may have been arranged. Frenchmen will be fortunate if Hitler does not find means to compel them to raise "volunteer legions" actually to bear arms against their former allies when these land on the continent.

It will be interesting to see whom else the fuehrer may summon in this muster of his minions for the fight

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## JAP PATROL WIPED OUT BY AMERICANS

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—A Japanese patrol of one officer and eight men attempting to escape from Guadalcanal island in the south Pacific was intercepted and destroyed by American troops Wednesday, the navy reported Friday.

A communique, relating this incident, told also of continuing aerial attacks from Guadalcanal against Japanese bases in the Solomon islands with destruction wrought on anti-aircraft positions, piers, runways and the like.

Interception of the enemy patrol in the vicinity of Beaufort bay, 25 miles southwest of Guadalcanal airfield, resulted in the first reported land skirmish in many weeks on the once embattled island.

What the Japanese patrol was doing on Guadalcanal was not disclosed. It might have been a group of stragglers left hidden in the mountains after organized enemy resistance ceased February 9, or it might have been a fresh fighting unit put ashore from a submarine or small boat to reconnoiter American installations and defense positions.

The air raids reported in the official bulletin covered activities of Thursday which began with an attack by Flying Fortresses on the Japanese air base at Kahili in the Shortland island area of the northwestern Solomons. Poor visibility prevented observation of results.

Subsequently, Avenger torpedo bombers and Dauntless dive bombers with Lightning and Corsair fighters hit enemy installations at Gatere on the southwestern coast of Kolombangara island in the central Solomons. An anti-aircraft position and a pier were destroyed.

## HURLS TOTS FROM ROOF, FOLLOWS THEM TO DEATH

NEW YORK, April 30.—(AP)—A 28-year-old mother threw her two daughters, aged four and five, from the roof of a six-story apartment shortly before noon Friday, authorities said, and then followed them to death on the ground below.

Assistant District Attorney Albert E. Short of Queens county said the case was closed after he had talked with the woman's aunt and had learned the woman who died, Mrs. Rose Tanelian, had stabbed her in a violent quarrel earlier Friday.

Short said Mrs. Tanelian, wife of a dress operator, apparently had taken her life and those of her daughters "because she was stricken with fear" as a result of the stabbing.

## SAYRE OUTLINES POST-WAR PLANS

### Wants World Organization, Backed By Force, To Preserve Peace

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Rome's ancient empire and the commonwealth of nations evolved by imperial Britain blazed the trail which planners of a free post-war world must follow, Francis B. Sayre, special assistant to the secretary of state, said here Friday.

In an address for delivery before the American Society of International Law, Sayre asserted enduring power and mastery in the past have been achieved by those nations which built their strength on foundations of law and justice.

They were "those nations and those peoples which have developed an understanding and a tolerance for other peoples, which have organized protective care for the weak as against the strong, which have sought to safeguard and strengthen the rights of the individual, irrespective of his race or color or physical strength or weakness."

The great ideal of justice to all alike before the law existed long before the rise of remembered empires. But, asserted Sayre, "it is highly significant that the two greatest bodies of law which the world has ever known—the Roman law and the English common law—enshrining this great principle, constituted the foundations upon which were built two of the greatest empires which the world has known."

"And it is equally significant," he added, "that the strength of these empires has rested primarily not upon the mere physical strength of their armies and their soldiers but upon their legal systems, upon their understanding and regard for the rights of other peoples and upon their progress in learning the great art of governing subject races.

"What Rome and England achieved for their own empire, through the moving up of their great systems of law for the protection of the weak against the strong and the guarantee of impartial justice to all alike, must in a sense be undertaken now for humanity. The whole world must build up a body of practice and of law giving expression to the conscience of mankind insofar as it relates to the rights of nations and of peoples."

Such a task is too much for one peo-

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## 'SCARE BOMB' ADDRESSED TO COUGHLIN IS SEIZED

NUTLEY, N. J., April 30.—(AP)—Post-office employes found in the mails Friday what Newark Detective Captain Frank O'Neill called "a scare bomb" addressed to Reverend Charles E. Coughlin at Royal Oak, Mich.

O'Neill, a bomb expert, fired several rounds of machine gun bullets into it, but it failed to explode. Inside were a clock works, ground glass, a powder not yet analyzed and a nine-page letter not made public.

Father Coughlin is the nationally known priest of the Royal Oak parish's "shrine of the little flower." He was last in the news about a year ago, when postal authorities suspended mailing privileges of the magazine, "Social Justice," on the ground it contained subversive statements.

# CHURCHES

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**
**Cypress and Crosley**
**West Monroe**
**E. L. Tanner, Pastor**

Interest in the revival is increasing with each service and the Lord is blessing the people. We invite you to join with us in this meeting bring your unsaved friends and pray they may be saved. Services are held each day at 8:00 p. m. Sunday services will begin with Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., S. W. Hamilton, superintendent; Preaching, 11:00 a. m.; Christ Ambassador class meets, 7:00 p. m.; Children service, 7:00 p. m.; Evangelistic service, 8:00 p. m. The meeting is announced to continue through next week.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
**St. John and Grammont Streets**
**L. T. Hastings, Pastor**
**D. C. Black, Pastor's Associate**

Our church will observe Christian Home Week, May 2-9, as outlined by our Sunday school and B. T. U. departments of our Sunday school board, Nashville, Tenn., and sponsored by our Sunday school and B. T. U. departments. The pastor will preach Sunday morning on "The Witness of the Christian Home to a World in Ruins." At the close of the morning service, one hundred visitors will have a light lunch at the church and go out to visit. We hope to visit not less than 500 homes in the interest of the Sunday school and training union and give a special invitation to be present at the Wednesday night service which will be dedicated to the home and the church.

At the evening hour the pastor will speak on "Cultivating a Living Faith in Our Homes." The choir will bring special music. This week should be one of the greatest we have ever had in the way of strengthening the home base and building Christian character in the home.

The other services, Sunday school and training union, will be held at the usual hours, 9:45 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. You are cordially invited to attend any and all services.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
**West Monroe, Louisiana**
**C. E. Autrey, Th. D., Pastor**

Our pastor, Dr. C. E. Autrey will preach in his pulpit Sunday morning and evening. We should have a record attendance at Sunday School and at all the other services to welcome him home. The church needs you and you need the church. Our church welcomes service men and we feel that patriotism will not go very high when religion is at a low ebb.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; Morning Worship, 11:00; Training Union, Brotherhood, 7:00 p. m. Evening Worship, 8:00 p. m.

**Radio Ministry**

Saturday, Sunday School lesson taught by the pastor over KMLB, 5:15 p. m.

Saturday, Sermon by the pastor over WPAD, Paducah, Ky., 11:00 a. m.

**THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Sterlington**
**Rev. L. V. Fortenberry, Pastor**
**R. N. Laningham, S. S. Supt.**
**G. R. Hutson, B. T. U. Director**

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**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**
**812 Mississippi Street**
**Rev. I. J. Brooks, Pastor**
**Carlton Wade, Choir Director**

The services for the day begin with Sunday school at 9:45. There are classes for all ages, be on time and find your place in the school with the greatest text-book in the world.

The pastor's morning subject will be "The Bride of Christ," text Song of Solomon 6:10. The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the conclusion of the preaching hour.

The Baptist Training union begins at 7:00 p.m. with the closing assembly at 7:45. At this time the two beautiful flags which the church recently purchased will be presented with appropriate ceremonies, don't miss this service.

The pastor's evening message will be evangelistic.

We invite the general public to all the services of the church.
"There'll be a comfortable pew,
And a welcome for you."

**CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH**
**3400 Lee Avenue**
**D. D. Cantrell, Pastor**
**Lloyd Walters, Choir Director**

This Lord's day is destined to be a great day with Central Baptist. At the evening worship hour we will have with us Truett L. Scarborough, district attorney of the Ruston district of criminal court, and who also is the chairman of the board of deacons of the First Baptist church, Ruston, and who will bring to our church a great patriotic message at this hour, speaking also to the Brotherhood at 7:00 p.m. All friends of this church are cordially invited to take the advantage of this great privilege.

This service also will be dedicated to the men of our church who are now in the services of the armed force, and stars will be added for the remaining seven of the 47 men we now have already enlisted.

The Sunday school begins at 9:45 and worship 11:00 a.m. The deacons meet at 2 p.m. and Brotherhood 6:30 p.m. and Training union meeting at 6:45 p.m. This will be a great day and all our people are urged to give their best to make it the best yet.

Beginning May 10 through the 16th, we will have with us for the week, Rev. E. E. Smith. We are looking forward for a great revival spirit from this meeting. All plans are being made for this.

Are you a newcomer to Monroe? Central welcomes you to all the services of the day; especially do we invite all men in the armed forces or connected with the defense in any way.

**GOOD HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH**
**West Monroe**
**Ernest C. Adcock, Pastor**

The pastor and leaders are greatly encouraged by the large attendance and splendid reports from our organizations. Members are manifesting their loyalty by their liberality.

Our budget is being more than met. Hence we have been able to increase gifts to missions, to buy song books and screen one of our buildings. Sunday shcool, 10:00 a. m.; worship hours, 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.; B. T. U., 7:15 p. m.; prayer service Wednesday, 8:15 p. m.

The sermon topics for the day are "Playing the Fool" and "The Sinner's Friend."

Won't you worship somewhere this Lord's day? If you feel led to come our way, you will find yourself at home with God's people.

**LOCH ARBOR BAPTIST CHURCH**
**A. O. Buckley, Pastor**

In 2 Chronicles 7:14 we read: "If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves and pray, and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from Heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land."

Does our land need healing? There is just one way to accomplish this healing and that way is shown in this verse of Scripture. Those with friends and loved ones in armed service ought to think seriously about this verse and then get to work for the Lord. Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a. m.; B. T. U. 7:30 p. m.; worship services, 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

Monday: Junior and senior deacons' meeting 7:45 p. m.

Tuesday: W. M. S. will have an all day study and business session.

Friday: Prayer meeting, business meeting, choir practice, 7:45 p. m.

**NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH**
**North 5th and Breard Streets**
**N. T. Smith, Pastor**

Sunday school meets promptly at 10 a.m. B. T. U. and Brotherhood meet at 7 p.m.

W. M. U. meets at the church every Monday at 2:30 p.m. Prayer meeting and Bible study every Thursday night.

This next Thursday night, the district Brotherhood will be with us for the regular quarterly meeting.

Preaching Sunday at 11 a.m. and at 8 p.m.

Pastor's morning theme: "What Is a Revival?" Sunday night theme "I Heard a Voice."

Our revival starts the third Sunday in May. The pastor will preach; Dale Cobb will lead the music.

Remember this is a country church come to town.

**PLEASANT GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Choudrant, La.**

Sunday we shall have a young preacher from Monroe. We invite all the people in the surrounding district to come to worship the Lord with us.

The time of services is as follows:
Sunday school, 10 a.m.
Preaching, 11:00 a.m. and 8 p.m.
B. T. U., 7:30 p.m.

**TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Reagan Street, West Monroe**
**J. T. Kinke, Pastor**

We are bringing to a close Sunday evening one of the greatest revivals ever held in this church. Great crowds of people have been coming ever since the first service. If you have not yet been present in one of these services your time is drawing very short now. While reading these words you should be making plans to be in each service on this Lord's day which will be the closing day of the revival. Messages for the day will be "Echos of Calvary" at the morning hour and "From the Movies to the Ministry" at the evening hour.

Surely every person ought to hear the evening message. It will be one you will never forget. Rev. McGuire will be at his very best when you hear this great message. Come bring your friends.

Sunday school at 10:00. B. T. U. and Brotherhood at 6:45.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**
**St. John and Oak Streets**
**R. T. Watson, Minister**

Church School at 9:45 a. m.
Worship at 10:50 a. m. "After Easter—What?" will be the sermon subject.
Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m.
Evening Worship at 8:00 p.m. "Abraham, Man of Promise," will be the sermon subject.
Everyone is invited to these services.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES**
**Corner Auburn Avenue And North Second Street**

"Everlasting Punishment" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, May 2, 1943.

The Golden Text is: "Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap" (Gal. 6-7).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "If the wicked restore the pledge, give again that he had robbed, walk in the statutes of life, without committing iniquity; he shall surely live, he shall not die" (Ezek. 33:15).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, "If you believe in and practice wrong knowingly, you can at once change your course and do right" (p. 253).

Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Sunday service, 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Reading room, 626 Bernhardt building, open daily 10-5 except Sundays and national holidays.

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**
**307 North Second Street**

10:00 a.m. Sunday school meeting. Adults: "Whatever principle of intelligence we attain unto in this life, it will rise with us in the resurrection. . . . It is impossible for a man to be saved in ignorance." Following these and other teachings given them through the Prophet Joseph Smith, the Latter-Day Saints spend much time and money on education and the state of Utah excels in educational institutions. Intermediates: "Train a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart therefrom." In Moses we see a good example of great preparation for the great task of delivering the children of Israel into the promised land.

6:00 p.m. Priesthood meeting. "Behold, there shall be a record kept among you. . . ." Thus did the Lord command the Prophet Joseph Smith to keep a record of His people. He also said "It is contrary to the will and commandment of God that those who receive not their inheritance by consecration . . . should have their names enrolled with the people of God."

6:00 p.m. Relief society meeting. "Surely the Lord God will do nothing, but He revealeth his secret unto His servants the prophets." Through revelation God instructed His servants on earth, Adam, Enoch, Moses, Joshua, and on down to the Messiah. John foresaw and foretold the bringing of the Gospel back to earth in the latter days through revelation and this prophecy was fulfilled through the Prophet Joseph Smith.

7:30 p.m. Sacrament meeting. Does your religion have a practical side? Many of the Latter-Day Saints can talk for hours on the practicality of their "Mormonism." It has many teachings of how it can help you, not just one day in the week, but every day. Do you partake only of things that will benefit your physical body? Can you prove that you love your neighbor? And what are you doing to prepare yourself for eternal life as you live day by day? How do you spend the Sabbath day? Members of the Ladies' Relief society will answer these and other questions in a special program.

A special invitation is extended to service men to attend any and all meetings.

**THE CHURCH OF GOD**
**305 Pine Street**
**T. E. Miller, Pastor**

Our pastor is holding a revival in Alexandria this week but we will have our usual services and Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Preaching will be at 11:00 a.m. Night services and prayer meeting at the usual hours.

**GRACE CHURCH**
**4th and Glenmar Sts.**
**Edward Farren Hayward, Rector**

Services for the first Sunday after Easter, commonly called Low Sunday, are as follows: The Holy Eucharist at 7:30 a. m., church school at 9:30 a. m.; choral celebration and sermon at 11 a. m. Monday, May 3rd, the church celebrates St. Mark's Day; and Tuesday, May 4th, SS. Philip and James. These feast days are transferred from April 25th and May 1st. On each of these days the Holy Eucharist will be celebrated 7:30 a. m. Wednesday, May 5th is our day of Intercessions for the United Nations and our men and women from Grace church in service of our country. The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 9 a. m.

The service in St. David's, Rayville, for this Sunday is postponed till later date. Confirmation classes are being formed for the Bishop who will visit Grace church June 13th (which is Whitsunday) for the purpose of administering the sacrament of Confirmation. The adult class will meet each Thursday at 8 p. m., and the junior class at 4:30 p. m.

Open house for the cadets and enlisted men at navigation school will be held as usual in parish house from 4 until 6 p. m. each Sunday afternoon. The men are cordially invited to accept our hospitality and bring their friends with them. Grace church is open daily from 7:30 a. m. until 5:30 p. m. Come in rest, pray, give thanks, meditate.

The Rector.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Harrison and Darbonne Streets**
**Two Blocks South of Junior College**

Sunday school meets at 10 a.m.
Church services begin at 10:45 a.m.
You are cordially invited to worship with us.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**
**Jackson At Wood Street**
**A. M. Serex, Minister**

The Rev. J. P. Bartak, D. D., superintendent of the Methodist church in Prague, Czecho-Slovakia, and Methodism's outstanding leader in that country, will be the guest speaker at the morning worship, Sunday. Dr. Bartak will preach on "Through History to God."

At the evening hour, 7:30, the pastor's sermon theme will be "How to Meet Life's Annoyances." This is the first of a series of evening services on the general theme "Meeting Some of Life's Everyday Problems," which will be given during the month of May.

The young people's groups meet at 6:30 Sunday evening. All young people are invited to participate in this hour of worship and fellowship. The Woman's Society of Christian Service meets Tuesday afternoon at the church for the regular monthly business session.

An invitation to worship with this church is extended.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**
**West Monroe**
**C. Karlos Smith, Pastor**

In this mad world there are still those who are ready to make the supreme sacrifice for the cause of Christ and His church. There will ever be as long as time lasts men and women who are ready to die for Christ's sake. The hope of this world is Jesus Christ. Sunday night at 8:00 p. m., we are to have the very great privilege of hearing Dr. Joseph Paul Bartak who was the superintendent of our Methodist work in Prague, Czecho-Slovakia. Dr. Bartak was thrown into prison by the German gestapo and with other prisoners suffered at the hands of those who would stamp out all Christian activity.

Our services for Sunday will be as follows: Sunday school meets at 9:45 a. m. and the whole family can attend this service. On last Sunday "Easter Sunday" our Sunday school and church made their offering to the Ruston orphanage, the offering amounted to over $1,000. Our preaching service will be held at 11:00 a. m. The public invited to attend every service. If you desire to hear Dr. Bartak at 8:00 Sunday night, you are urged to get to the church early in order to get a seat.

**THE ANTIOCH METHODIST CHURCH**
**F. L. Hearne, Pastor**

Services Sunday May 2nd, at 11:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. W. S. C. S. meets at the church Wednesday afternoon May 5th.

There is a happy surprise in store for all members of the church this Sunday. And too, you are invited to come and worship with us always.

**GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH**
**206 Dixie Street**

The following services will be held at Gordon Avenue Methodist church Sunday:

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. George P. Goodwin, speaker.
Evening service, 8:00 p. m. E. N. Thompson, speaker.

The usual weekly prayer service will be held Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. The service will be in charge of C. L. Taylor. An invitation to worship with this congregation is extended.

**STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH**
**I. L. Yeager, Pastor,**
**M. B. Hearne, Sunday School Supt.**

A soldier lay dying in a hospital. A visitor asked him, "What church are you of?" "Of the church of Christ," he replied. "I mean of what persuasion are you?" inquired the visitor. "Persuasion!" said the dying man, as his eyes looked heavenward, beaming with love to the Saviour: "I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate me from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord."—Rom. 8:38-39.

To you who worship not regularly elsewhere, we cordially invite you to come with us, beginning with Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m., Mrs. Ira Waldroup, leader. Evening service at 7:45. The usual Wednesday evening prayer service will be discontinued for a while and beginning with this Wednesday evening a general study of the Old Testament will be made, using for the lesson the first chapter of Genesis.

Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 7:45.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**
**Thomas and Richmond**
**G. M. and Mrs. Akin, Pastors**

Worship for Sunday will begin with Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. S. P. Quigley, superintendent. Morning worship, 11 a.m. Evening evangelistic service as usual.

Morning theme: "A Night of Fruitless Toil."

Evening message: "Ascending the Hill of the Lord." Mrs. Akin will preach at both services.

Mrs. R. H. Thornhill will direct the N. Y. P. S. meeting, Mrs. E. L. Hoskins the Hi Y; R. H. Thornhill the intermediates and Mrs. Katherine Lawson the juniors all meeting at 6:45 p.m.

Woman's missionary meeting in the home of Mrs. H. T. Ward, Tuesday, at 7:45 p.m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

A warm welcome to all.

**THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
**Grammont at Catalpa**
**Ernest D. Holloway, Minister**

"Religion in the Home" is the theme.

Will you worship with us as we think to that which is vital in the stability of the Nation, the progress of our Faith, and the enrichment of life?

"An appetite that Reveals and Pays" is the subject of the evening message. It has to do with one of the statements of Jesus, the master teacher, who is qualified to speak and wise in his instruction.

The attendance at the Sunday School hour is not what is desired. With your presence, the attendance will be larger, and the leaders will be encouraged. Classes have been organized for you and the youth of the congregation.

May 9, Mother's Sabbath, is the day when our financial investments for the Educational Unit close for the current year. Will you, the members of the congregation, please make an offering for this laudable enterprise that the goal may be reached, $20,000.00?

Our purpose is a worship that is rational, inspirational, and pleasing to our Lord, the Christ.

You are invited to worship with us.

**STERLINGTON METHODIST CHURCH**
**Sterlington, La.**
**Howard E. Plost, Minister**

Church school 9:45 a.m., with worship and sermon at 10:45; also worship and sermon at the evening hour 8:00 p.m. Special music by our Young People's choir at the morning service, and special music by our adult choir at the evening service. Lee B. Stall, choir director.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship meets at 7:00 p.m. George Muller, president, and Flem McMillan and Miss Lennie B. Brown, adult counselors.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Monday afternoon at the church at 2:30 o'clock for business meeting. Mrs. Gilford Wright, president.

The Methodist men will meet at the church Monday night at 8:00 o'clock.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock, followed by choir practice at 8:45 o'clock.

The Parents Fellowship of Work and Study will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. C. R. Alexander, president.

The Board of Stewards will have their regular monthly meeting at the church Friday night at 8:00 o'clock. W. E. Hendricks, Sr., is chairman of the board. This is an especially important meeting as our church is to entertain the Monroe district conference on May 20th. The chairman urges all 16 members of the board to be present, if at all possible.

Easter Sunday was a great Sunday with us. Why not make every Sunday an Easter Sunday.

**SALVATION ARMY**
**201 Wood Street**
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'He entered into a certain village: and a certain woman named Martha received Him into her house.' (Luke 10:38.)

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Wherever Christ is recognized as the 'Unseen Guest' He is the Friend, Guide and Comforter of the home, and the home is a happy one. Shall we not all seek to make our home a place where Jesus dwells?

Company meeting at 9:45 with Mrs. T. Vanderworker in charge.

Holiness Meeting at 11:00.

Y. P. Legion at 6:15.

Salvation Meeting at 7:45.

Open-Air services on Saturday and Sunday night at 7:00.

Girl Guards on Monday at the Red Shield Club at 6:30.

Sunbeams meet on Wednesday 4:00

Ladies Home League on Thursday afternoon at 2:00 with Mrs. O. Jones.

You are all welcome to attend these meetings.

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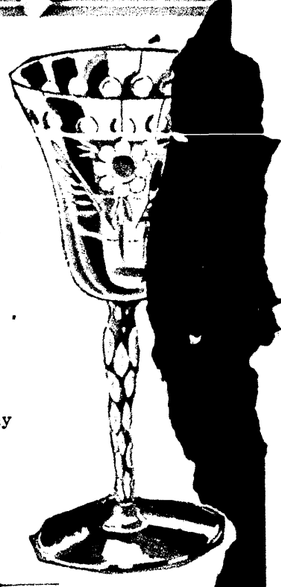

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**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**
**Cypress and Crosley**
**West Monroe**
**E. L. Tanner, Pastor**

Interest in the revival is increasing with each service and the Lord is blessing the people. We invite you to join with us in this meeting bring your unsaved friends and pray they may be saved. Services are held each day at 8:00 p. m. Sunday services will begin with Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., S. W. Hamilton, superintendent; Preaching, 11:00 a. m.; Christ Ambassador class meets, 7:00 p. m.; Children service, 7:00 p. m.; Evangelistic service, 8:00 p. m. The meeting is announced to continue through next week.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
**St. John and Grammont Streets**
**L. T. Hastings, Pastor**
**D. C. Black, Pastor's Associate**

Our church will observe Christian Home Week, May 2-9, as outlined by our Sunday school and B. T. U. departments of our Sunday school board, Nashville, Tenn., and sponsored by our Sunday school and B. T. U. departments. The pastor will preach Sunday morning on "The Witness of the Christian Home to a World in Ruins." At the close of the morning service, one hundred visitors will have a light lunch at the church and go out to visit. We hope to visit not less than 500 homes in the interest of the Sunday school and training union and give a special invitation to be present at the Wednesday night service which will be dedicated to the home and the church.

At the evening hour the pastor will speak on "Cultivating a Living Faith in Our Homes." The choir will bring special music. This week should be one of the greatest we have ever had in the way of strengthening the home base and building Christian character in the home.

The other services, Sunday school and training union, will be held at the usual hours, 9:45 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. You are cordially invited to attend any and all services.

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**West Monroe, Louisiana**
**C. E. Autrey, Th. D., Pastor**

Our pastor, Dr. C. E. Autrey will preach in his pulpit Sunday morning and evening. We should have a record attendance at Sunday School and at all the other services to welcome him home. The church needs you and you need the church. Our church welcomes service men and we feel that patriotism will not go very high when religion is at a low ebb.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; Morning Worship, 11:00; Training Union, Brotherhood, 7:00 p. m. Evening Worship, 8:00 p. m.

**Radio Ministry**

Saturday, Sunday School lesson taught by the pastor over KMLB, 5:15 p. m.

Saturday, Sermon by the pastor over WPAD, Paducah, Ky., 11:00 a. m.

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This Lord's day is destined to be a great day with Central Baptist. At the evening worship hour we will have with us Truett L. Scarborough, district attorney of the Ruston district of criminal court, and who also is the chairman of the board of deacons of the First Baptist church, Ruston, and who will bring to our church a great patriotic message at this hour, speaking also to the Brotherhood at 7:00 p.m. All friends of this church are cordially invited to take the advantage of this great privilege.

This service also will be dedicated to the men of our church who are now in the services of the armed force, and stars will be added for the remaining seven of the 47 men we now have already enlisted.

The Sunday school begins at 9:45 and worship 11:00 a.m. The deacons meet at 2 p.m. and Brotherhood 6:30 p.m. and Training union meeting at 6:45 p.m. This will be a great day and all our people are urged to give their best to make it the best yet.

Beginning May 10 through the 16th, we will have with us for the week, Rev. E. E. Smith. We are looking forward for a great revival spirit from this meeting. All plans are being made for this.

Are you a newcomer to Monroe? Central welcomes you to all the services of the day; especially do we invite all men in the armed forces or connected with the defense in any way.

**GOOD HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH**
**West Monroe**
**Ernest C. Adcock, Pastor**

The pastor and leaders are greatly encouraged by the large attendance and splendid reports from our organizations. Members are manifesting their loyalty by their liberality.

Our budget is being more than met. Hence we have been able to increase gifts to missions, to buy song books and screen one of our buildings. Sunday shcool, 10:00 a. m.; worship hours, 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.; B. T. U., 7:15 p. m.; prayer service Wednesday, 8:15 p. m.

The sermon topics for the day are "Playing the Fool" and "The Sinner's Friend."

Won't you worship somewhere this Lord's day? If you feel led to come our way, you will find yourself at home with God's people.

**LOCH ARBOR BAPTIST CHURCH**
**A. O. Buckley, Pastor**

In 2 Chronicles 7:14 we read: "If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves and pray, and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from Heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land."

Does our land need healing? There is just one way to accomplish this healing and that way is shown in this verse of Scripture. Those with friends and loved ones in armed service ought to think seriously about this verse and then get to work for the Lord. Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a. m.; B. T. U. 7:30 p. m.; worship services, 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

Monday: Junior and senior deacons' meeting 7:45 p. m.

Tuesday: W. M. S. will have an all day study and business session.

Friday: Prayer meeting, business meeting, choir practice, 7:45 p. m.

**NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH**
**North 5th and Breard Streets**
**N. T. Smith, Pastor**

Sunday school meets promptly at 10 a.m. B. T. U. and Brotherhood meet at 7 p.m.

W. M. U. meets at the church every Monday at 2:30 p.m. Prayer meeting and Bible study every Thursday night.

This next Thursday night, the district Brotherhood will be with us for the regular quarterly meeting.

Preaching Sunday at 11 a.m. and at 8 p.m.

Pastor's morning theme: "What Is a Revival?" Sunday night theme "I Heard a Voice."

Our revival starts the third Sunday in May. The pastor will preach; Dale Cobb will lead the music.

Remember this is a country church come to town.

**PLEASANT GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Choudrant, La.**

Sunday we shall have a young preacher from Monroe. We invite all the people in the surrounding district to come to worship the Lord with us.

The time of services is as follows:
Sunday school, 10 a.m.
Preaching, 11:00 a.m. and 8 p.m.
B. T. U., 7:30 p.m.

**TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Reagan Street, West Monroe**
**J. T. Kinke, Pastor**

We are bringing to a close Sunday evening one of the greatest revivals ever held in this church. Great crowds of people have been coming ever since the first service. If you have not yet been present in one of these services your time is drawing very short now. While reading these words you should be making plans to be in each service on this Lord's day which will be the closing day of the revival. Messages for the day will be "Echos of Calvary" at the morning hour and "From the Movies to the Ministry" at the evening hour.

Surely every person ought to hear the evening message. It will be one you will never forget. Rev. McGuire will be at his very best when you hear this great message. Come bring your friends.

Sunday school at 10:00. B. T. U. and Brotherhood at 6:45.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**
**St. John and Oak Streets**
**R. T. Watson, Minister**

Church School at 9:45 a. m.

Worship at 10:50 a. m. "After Easter—What?" will be the sermon subject.

Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m.

Evening Worship at 8:00 p.m. "Abraham, Man of Promise," will be the sermon subject.

Everyone is invited to these services.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES**
**Corner Auburn Avenue And North Second Street**

"Everlasting Punishment" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, May 2, 1943.

The Golden Text is: "Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap" (Gal. 6-7).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "If the wicked restore the pledge, give again that he had robbed, walk in the statutes of life, without committing iniquity; he shall surely live, he shall not die" (Ezek. 33:15).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, "If you believe in and practice wrong knowingly, you can at once change your course and do right" (p. 253).

Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Sunday service, 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Reading room, 626 Bernhardt building, open daily 10-5 except Sundays and national holidays.

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**
**307 North Second Street**

10:00 a.m. Sunday school meeting. Adults: "Whatever principle of intelligence we attain unto in this life, it will rise with us in the resurrection. . . . It is impossible for a man to be saved in ignorance." Following these and other teachings given them through the Prophet Joseph Smith, the Latter-Day Saints spend much time and money on education and the state of Utah excels in educational institutions. Intermediates: "Train a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart therefrom." In Moses we see a good example of great preparation for the great task of delivering the children of Israel into the promised land.

6:00 p.m. Priesthood meeting. "Behold, there shall be a record kept among you. . . ." Thus did the Lord command the Prophet Joseph Smith to keep a record of His people. He also said "It is contrary to the will and commandment of God that those who receive not their inheritance by consecration . . . should have their names enrolled with the people of God."

6:00 p.m. Relief society meeting. "Surely the Lord God will do nothing, but He revealeth his secret unto His servants the prophets." Through revelation God instructed His servants on earth, Adam, Enoch, Moses, Joshua, and on down to the Messiah, John foresaw and foretold the bringing of the Gospel back to earth in the latter days through revelation and this prophecy was fulfilled through the Prophet Joseph Smith.

7:30 p.m. Sacrament meeting. Does your religion have a practical side? Many of the Latter-Day Saints can talk for hours on the practicality of their "Mormonism." It has many teachings of how it can help you, not just one day in the week, but every day. Do you partake only of things that will benefit your physical body? Can you prove that you love your neighbor? And what are you doing to prepare yourself for eternal life as you live day by day? How do you spend the Sabbath day? Members of the Ladies' Relief society will answer these and other questions in a special program.

A special invitation is extended to service men to attend any and all meetings.

**THE CHURCH OF GOD**
**305 Pine Street**
**T. E. Miller, Pastor**

Our pastor is holding a revival in Alexandria this week but we will have our usual services and Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Preaching will be at 11:00 a.m. Night services and prayer meeting at the usual hours.

**GRACE CHURCH**
**4th and Glenmar Sts.**
**Edward Farren Hayward, Rector**

Services for the first Sunday after Easter, commonly called Low Sunday, are as follows: The Holy Eucharist at 7:30 a. m., church school at 9:30 a. m.; choral celebration and sermon at 11 a. m. Monday, May 3rd, the church celebrates St. Mark's Day; and Tuesday, May 4th, SS. Philip and James. These feast days are transferred from April 25th and May 1st. On each of these days the Holy Eucharist will be celebrated 7:30 a. m. Wednesday, May 5th is our day of Intercessions for the United Nations and our men and women from Grace church in service of our country. The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 9 a. m.

The service in St. David's, Rayville, for this Sunday is postponed till later date. Confirmation classes are being formed for the Bishop who will visit Grace church June 13th (which is Whitsunday) for the purpose of administering the sacrament of Confirmation. The adult class will meet each Thursday at 8 p. m., and the junior class at 4:30 p. m.

Open house for the cadets and enlisted men at navigation school will be held as usual in parish house from 4 until 6 p. m. each Sunday afternoon. The men are cordially invited to accept our hospitality and bring their friends with them. Grace church is open daily from 7:30 a. m. until 5:30 p. m. Come in rest, pray, give thanks, meditate.

The Rector.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Harrison and Darbonne Streets**
**Two Blocks South of Junior College**

Sunday school meets at 10 a.m.

Church services begin at 10:45 a.m.

You are cordially invited to worship with us.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**
**Jackson At Wood Street**
**A. M. Serex, Minister**

The Rev. J. P. Bartak, D. D., superintendent of the Methodist church in Prague, Czecho-Slovakia, and Methodism's outstanding leader in that country, will be the guest speaker at the morning worship, Sunday. Dr. Bartak will preach on "Through History to God."

At the evening hour, 7:30, the pastor's sermon theme will be "How to Meet Life's Annoyances." This is the first of a series of evening services on the general theme "Meeting Some of Life's Everyday Problems," which will be given during the month of May.

The young people's groups meet at 6:30 Sunday evening. All young people are invited to participate in this hour of worship and fellowship. The Woman's Society of Christian Service meets Tuesday afternoon at the church for the regular monthly busines session.

An invitation to worship with this church is extended.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**
**West Monroe**
**C. Karlos Smith, Pastor**

In this mad world there are still those who are ready to make the supreme sacrifice for the cause of Christ and His church. There will ever be as long as time lasts men and women who are ready to die for Christ's sake. The hope of this world is Jesus Christ. Sunday night at 8:00 p. m., we are to have the very great privilege of hearing Dr. Joseph Paul Bartak who was the superintendent of our Methodist work in Prague, Czecho-Slovakia. Dr. Bartak was thrown into prison by the German gestapo and with other prisoners suffered at the hands of those who would stamp out all Christian activity.

Our services for Sunday will be as follows: Sunday school meets at 9:45 a. m. and the whole family can attend this service. On last Sunday "Easter Sunday" our Sunday school and church made their offering to the Ruston orphanage, the offering amounted to over $1,000. Our preaching service will be held at 11:00 a. m. The public invited to attend every service. If you desire to hear Dr. Bartak at 8:00 Sunday night, you are urged to get to the church early in order to get a seat.

**THE ANTIOCH METHODIST CHURCH**
**F. L. Hearne, Pastor**

Services Sunday May 2nd, at 11:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. W. S. C. S. meets at the church Wednesday afternoon May 5th.

There is a happy surprise in store for all members of the church this Sunday. And too, you are invited to come and worship with us always.

**GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH**
**206 Dixie Street**

The following services will be held at Gordon Avenue Methodist church Sunday:

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. George P. Goodwin, speaker.

Evening service, 8:00 p. m. E. N. Thompson, speaker.

The usual weekly prayer service will be held Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. The service will be in charge of C. L. Taylor. An invitation to worship with this congregation is extended.

**STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH**
**I. L. Yeager, Pastor,**
**M. B. Hearne, Sunday School Supt.**

A soldier lay dying in a hospital. A visitor asked him, "What church are you of?" "Of the church of Christ," he replied. "I mean of what persuasion are you?" inquired the visitor. "Persuasion!" said the dying man, as his eyes looked heavenward, beaming with love to the Saviour: "I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate me from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord."—Rom. 8:38-39.

To you who worship not regularly elsewhere, we cordially invite you to come with us, beginning with Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m., Mrs. Ira Waldroup, leader. Evening service at 7:45. The usual Wednesday evening prayer service will be discontinued for a while and beginning with this Wednesday evening a general study of the Old Testament will be made, using for the lesson the first chapter of Genesis.

Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 7:45.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**
**Thomas and Richmond**
**G. M. and Mrs. Akin, Pastors**

Worship for Sunday will begin with Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. S. P. Quigley, superintendent. Morning worship, 11 a.m. Evening evangelistic service as usual.

Morning theme: "A Night of Fruitless Toil."

Evening message: "Ascending the Hill of the Lord." Mrs. Akin will preach at both services.

Mrs. R. H. Thornhill will direct the N. Y. P. S. meeting, Mrs. E. L. Hoskins the Hi Y; R. H. Thornhill the intermediates and Mrs. Katherine Lawson the juniors all meeting at 6:45 p.m.

Woman's missionary meeting in the home of Mrs. H. T. Ward, Tuesday, at 7:45 p.m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:45 p.m. A warm welcome to all.

**THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
**Grammont at Catalpa**
**Ernest D. Holloway, Minister**

"Religion in the Home" is the theme. Will you worship with us as we think to that which is vital in the stability of the Nation, the progress of our Faith, and the enrichment of life?

"An appetite that Reveals and Pays" is the subject of the evening message. It has to do with one of the statements of Jesus, the master teacher, who is qualified to speak and wise in his instruction.

The attendance at the Sunday School hour is not what is desired. With your presence, the attendance will be larger, and the leaders will be encouraged. Classes have been organized for you and the youth of the congregation.

May 9, Mother's Sabbath, is the day when our financial investments for the Educational Unit close for the current year. Will you, the members of the congregation, please make an offering for this laudable enterprise that the goal may be reached, $20,000.00?

Our purpose is a worship that is rational, inspirational, and pleasing to our Lord, the Christ.

You are invited to worship with us.

**STERLINGTON METHODIST CHURCH**
**Sterlington, La.**
**Howard E. Pfost, Minister**

Church school 9:45 a.m., with worship and sermon at 10:45; also worship and sermon at the evening hour 8:00 p.m. Special music by our Young People's choir at the morning service, and special music by our adult choir at the evening service. Lee B. Stall, choir director.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship meets at 7:00 p.m. George Muller, president, and Flem McMillan and Mrs. Lennie B. Brown, adult counsellors.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Monday afternoon at the church at 2:30 o'clock for business meeting. Mrs. Gilford Wright, president.

The Methodist men will meet at the church Monday night at 8:00 o'clock.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock, followed by choir practice at 8:45 o'clock.

The Parents Fellowship of Work and Study will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. C. R. Alexander, president.

The Board of Stewards will have their regular monthly meeting at the church Friday night at 8:00 o'clock. W. E. Hendricks, Sr., is chairman of the board. This is an especially important meeting as our church is to entertain the Monroe district conference on May 20th. The chairman urges all 16 members of the board to be present, if at all possible.

Easter Sunday was a great Sunday with us. Why not make every Sunday an Easter Sunday.

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Wherever Christ is recognized as the 'Unseen Guest' He is the Friend, Guide and Comforter of the home, and the home is a happy one. Shall we not all seek to make our home a place where Jesus dwells?

Company meeting at 9:45 with Mrs. T. Vanderworker in charge.

Holiness Meeting at 11:00.

Y. P. Legion at 6:15.

Salvation Meeting at 7:45.

Open-Air services on Saturday and Sunday night at 7:00.

Girl Guards on Monday at the Red Shield Club at 6:30.

Sunbeams meet on Wednesday 4:00

Ladies Home League on Thursday afternoon at 2:00 with Mrs. O. Jones.

You are all welcome to attend these meetings.

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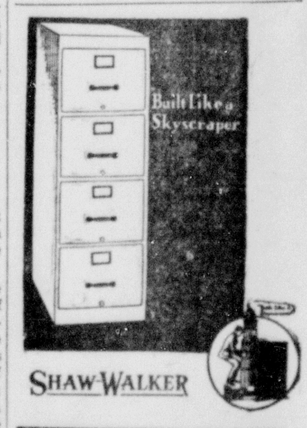


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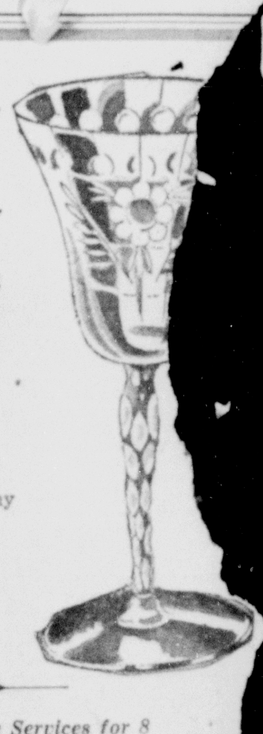

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# CAUCASUS ACTION

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Ukraine the Russians said German reconnaissance units were beaten back in the Balakleya sector southeast of Kharkov; on the Volkhov front southeast of Leningrad Soviet automatic riflemen in a sudden raid captured several German blockhouses.

Soviet scouts also were more active than usual on the Smolensk front west of Moscow.

German accounts of the Caucasian fight said all Soviet attacks had been repulsed, but again mentioned the numerical superiority of the Russians.

Yesterday's mid-day Soviet communique had been routine in tone, but the government newspaper Izvestia has prepared the public for an imminent change in the course of the struggle.

"Not many days separate us from big events. This May we are at the threshold of a decisive stage of our sacred war of liberation."

Other press comment, all of which took a significantly expectant tone, was to the effect that the Nazis had no idea of the strength of Soviet reserves.

The accounts of the German command and of German propaganda agencies strongly indicated for the second [illegible] that major military operations already were under way.

(The German communique declared that the Russians had "again launched a strong attack" against the Nazi bridgehead in the Kuban district of the western Caucasus, adding: "Despite violent artillery preparation and strong tank and air support, the enemy was unable to gain ground. In heavy defensive fighting . . . the Soviets were repulsed and numerous tanks were destroyed.")

# BROWN PROMISES

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effect without delay to the limit of our powers. These points are:

"First, to extend price control across the board, to every important commodity.

"Second, to roll back those prices which have got out of hand. The prices of meats, fresh and canned vegetables, coffee, among others, will be rolled back.

"Third, to establish specific dollars-and-cents prices for foods, so that all may know—sellers and buyers alike—what the legal price is. These prices will be printed in small booklets, which the housewife can put in her handbag when she goes to market and will be otherwise displayed.

"Fourth, to bring the chiseler, the profiteer, the black market operator to justice. These parasites feed not only upon the consumer but upon the overwhelming majority of honest men, who are eager to abide by the law and our regulatory orders. To this I propose we add heavy taxes to eliminate these criminal operators from the distributive markets.

"The main responsibility for elimination of the black market is with the American people. In a short time you will know the legal price ceilings on all food. If you have a higher price you are a violator. If you are charged a higher price the seller is a law violator.

"I do not think the United States could enforce price control [illegible] within the active support of the American people. You can, if you will refuse to pay the higher prices. Only in this way can we prevent inflation from destroying the savings of the people, the insurance of our soldiers, the pensions of our veterans, the bonds of our investors. That can be done without [illegible] the price differences, such as the current Polish crisis which has arisen between Russia and her western allies because the major United Nations know that they must continue to work together unless they maintain the fullest possible military cooperation until Hitler is destroyed.

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## O HIGH OFFICERS IE IN AIR MISHAPS

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, Apr. [illegible] (AP)—Major General E. L. [illegible], who had commanded a Canadian division in England since last September, and Lieutenant Colonel C. F. J. Finnie of Niagara Falls, Ont., were killed yesterday in a flying accident over southwest England, it was announced today.

Salmon was the first Canadian general to lose his life overseas.

No details of the accident were given.

Native of Winnipeg, Salmon was [illegible]. He went overseas in the first war at the age of 29 and won a military cross with bar for his gallantry.

Finlay was a 29-year-old staff of-

## DEATHS

MRS. MARY DUFFY

Mrs. Mary Ellen Duffy, 72, died yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of a sister, Mrs. A. G. Bigger, 319 Hilton street. Mrs. Duffy, a member of the Catholic church, had lived all her life here.

The funeral procession will leave the Bigger residence this morning at 9:45 o'clock for St. Matthew's Catholic church where mass will be said by Monsignor N. F. Vandegaer. Burial will follow in St. Matthew's Catholic cemetery here under the direction of Peters Funeral service.

Pallbearers will be Alston Prophit, Shelby Cage, Henry Crawford, Ulysses Revoire, John B. Renaud and Frank Chase, Jr.

Other than her sister, Mrs. Bigger, Mrs. Duffy leaves no immediate survivors. She leaves several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The tail cone of the Flying Fortress is assembled in two sections, upper and lower shell, and every possible item of equipment is added to each half before rivets make them into one.

# WOMAN IS LIVING THROUGH 5TH WAR

SAPULPA, Okla., April 30.—(AP)—"Aunt" Lizzie Dever has lived through four wars and is looking forward to the end of her fifth conflict.

Mrs. Devers, who will celebrate her 112th birthday tomorrow, has seen the Mexican, Civil, Spanish-American and first World wars open and close. Wars, she says, are due to pure cussedness.

Aunt Lizzie, who has outlived nine husbands, makes her home near the edge of Sapulpa with her "boy." Her son, Sam Pinkham, is a mere youngster of some 70-odd years, though.

She still walks to the Sapulpa business district, almost a mile away, and works in her vegetable garden.

# GLENN BABB

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for survival, especially whether there will be an envoy of Spain, which sent a "blue legion" last year to fight against Russia. Will Spain make a similar contribution now, when the "new Europe" is to be defended against the Anglo-Saxon plutocracies as well as bolshevism?

The 1943 defense against bolshevism may already be under way. The Germans insist that since Tuesday the Red army has been attacking with ten divisions in the western Caucasus, where the Axis holds a narrow bridgehead around Novorossisk as insurance against a Russian offensive against the Crimea or a springboard for an offensive of its own.

Beyond the announcement that they shot down 116 enemy planes in two days in that sector, the Russians remain silent on what may be happening there. But it is the Russian habit not to announce offensives until they are rolling well and there is good news to tell. The Caucasus is the logical place for beginning the 1943 campaign. It was in those latitudes, but on the other side of the strait of Kerch, that the Germans began last year, opening on May 8 the offensive which swept the Red army from the Crimea and gave the Germans the initiative which they held until November 19, when the Stalingrad disaster began.

Russia, celebrating May day, the festival of labor, faces the issue with confidence but without illusions. She knows she has at least one more terrible summer, third of the war, ahead.

"Not many days separate us from great events," says Izvestia, "but the arms papers declares that Red Army will soon learn how our peoples reserves have grown."

The emphasis is on reserves. There is good reason to believe that while Hitler has been securing Europe Stalin has been concentrating tremendous resources.

The bulk of the Red army has had two of three months to rest, refit and regroup since the titanic exertions of the winter. Although there was fierce fighting in March, with the Germans pressing a counteroffensive in the Ukraine, all indications are that the Russian command husbanded its main forces for the spring and summer. The line of the Donets was held fairly easily and even Kharkov might have been retained had Stalin seen fit to make it a symbol.

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General Hale pointed out that such raids as those on Nauru and Tarawa demonstrated that American aerial units operating in force can hit the Japanese more often and harder than the enemy can strike back. At the same time the bomber crews are gaining valuable experience for larger operations.

"Raids such as these," he said, "will compel the Japs to spread their forces over a wider area and they are having a hard enough time now defending what they hold."

Hale described the Tarawa raid as the most perfect piece of navigation in his recollection.

The 50-year-old general personally led both raids. He took command of the Seventh air force when Major-General Clarence L. Tinker was lost during a raid on Wake last June.

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"This does not mean," Sayre explained, "creating overnight a world government with sweeping and general power to invade the domestic affairs of sovereign states. It does mean the delegation to some international organization of certain carefully defined and restricted power."

Such powers, he suggested, would prevent territorial aggression, regulate and control heavy armament building in all countries, administer and supervise the government of backward areas, and attack "certain discriminatory and anti-social practices in the field of international trade and finance."

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Soviet scouts also were more active than usual on the Smolensk front west of Moscow.

German accounts of the Caucasian fight said all Soviet attacks had been repulsed, but again mentioned the numerical superiority of the Russians.

Yesterday's mid-day Soviet communique had been routine in tone, but the government newspaper Izvestia thus prepared the public for an imminent change in the course of the struggle.

"Not many days separate us from big events. This May we are at the threshold of a decisive stage of our sacred war of liberation."

Other press comment, all of which took a significantly expectant tone, was to the effect that the Nazis had no idea of the strength of Soviet reserves.

The accounts of the German command and of German propaganda agencies strongly indicated for the second successive [illegible] that major military operations already were under way.

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"The main responsibility for eliminating of the black market is with the American people. In a short time you will know the legal price practically all food you buy. If you pay a higher price you are a profiteer. If you are charged a higher price the seller is a law violator.

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No details of the accident were given.

A native of Winnipeg, Salmon was 47. He went overseas in the first war at the age of 20 and won a military cross with bar for his gallantry.

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## DEATHS

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Pallbearers will be Alston Prophit, Shelby Cage, Henry Crawford, Ulysses Revoire, John B. Renaud and Frank Chase, Jr.

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There was no offic[illegible] intimation as to what more drastic measures will follow, to eliminate Robert and bring the French Antilles into the war against the Axis. In making known the contents of his note to the French official, delivered to Robert April 26, Hull told a press conference every opportunity had been given the people and French authorities in Martinique to join the fight against the common enemy mutually beneficial collaboration and cooperation. That hope, he added had, unfortunately not been realized in the six months since the informal relations with Admiral Robert were set up.

# RAIDS

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General Hale then disclosed that the forthcoming operations, like the recent raids, will be in the nature of guerrilla-style aerial warfare; striking the enemy suddenly where he least expects to be hit and then striking again.

"Right now we are building up to a campaign that will bring either repeated small raids or large concentrated attacks, whichever we consider more effective. Larger bombs, possibly two or four-ton blockbusters such as now are used in Europe, may be pressed into service later against appropriate targets."

General Hale pointed out that such raids as those on Nauru and Tarawa demonstrated that American aerial units operating in force can hit the Japanese more often and harder than the enemy can strike back. At the same time the bomber crews are gaining valuable experience for larger operations.

"Raids such as these," he said, "will compel the Japs to spread their forces over a wider area and they are having a hard enough time now defending what they hold."

Hale described the Tarawa raid as the most perfect piece of navigation in his recollection.

The 50-year-old general personally led both raids. He took command of the Seventh air force when Major-General Clarence L. Tinker was lost during a raid on Wake last June.

# SAYRE

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ple; it can be achieved, Sayre said, only by the joint and cooperative effort of all nations and peoples who believe in human brotherhood.

"And in such a movement," he declared, "it is natural that all the world should turn in hope to America, born of the struggle to make men free." The nations must not shirk the task of setting up an international organization, backed with force, to maintain world peace, he said.

"This does not mean," Sayre explained, "creating overnight a world government with sweeping and general power to invade the domestic affairs of sovereign states. It does mean the delegation to some international organization of certain carefully defined and restricted power."

Such powers, he suggested, would prevent territorial aggression, regulate and control heavy armament building in all countries, administer and supervise the government of backward areas, and attack "certain discriminatory and anti-social practices in the field of international trade and finance."


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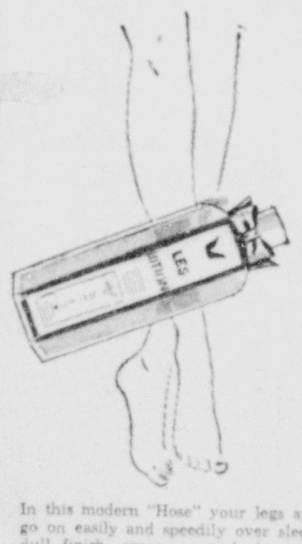

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## Nature's Month

The blooms and blossoms of May have ever aroused poets to ecstasy. "May is building her house. With apple blossoms she is roofing over the glimmering rooms," wrote Richard Le Gallienne.

May is the month when nature unrolls her magic green carpet over the world and decorates it with sweet-scented flowers and delicate buds that burst into colorful profusion under the waxing heat of the sun. Perfume-laden breezes sweep across the countryside and even into city streets. An invigorating freshness is apparent in the atmosphere and hope surges in the human heart.

The month of May has inspired a spirit of festivity in mankind from earliest times. According to Chaucer and other English writers it was customary for all persons, even the court itself, to go on the first May morning at an early hour to "fetch the flowers fresh."

The May pole custom was widespread in Europe for an interruption in England from the Puritan United States the May Day festival has come favor.

May is a month in which many people, including Dante, Wagner, Emerson, Queen Victoria, Florence Nightingale—and the Dionne quintuplets—were born, which has seen disasters, among them the eruption of Mount Pelee, Martinique, in which 26,000 persons died; the sinking of the Lusitania and the Empress of Ireland, each of which more than 1,000 persons lost their lives; the Johnstown flood in which 2,200 were drowned; in May, Napoleon and Voltaire died; in May, Louis XVI was beheaded, Mary, queen of Scots, famed pirate, was hanged. And May 1 is the day which Dewey won his famous victory at Manila.


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### ALLIED AIR WAR

Staggering losses inflicted upon Axis Tunisia campaign justify optimistic claims United Nations have established supremacy in the Mediterranean theater. The daily bag of and fighters reaches imposing totals, insp as to how long the enemy can afford to a in attempts to evacuate—or reinforce—i nisia.

These conquests are apart from syst Italian bases, of enemy positions in Tunis ment inflicted upon Axis shipping.

Feeble enemy resistance to Allied aeri Mediterranean area raises again the question as to what has become of the luftwaffe. The apparent answer is that the luftwaffe has been forced to dilute its strength.

Except for Russia, where it maintains superiority in the air, the luftwaffe has gone more and more on the defensive. A large section is pinned in Germany by the furious Allied raids on Nazi industrial centers and submarine bases. Other squadrons have been diverted to the sea lanes to supplement submarine attacks on Allied convoys.

But plane losses by the Allied fleets operating over Germany suggest the luftwaffe is still an effective fighting arm, with its status largely changed from an offensive to a defensive weapon. With the arrival of better flying weather a battle for air supremacy over western Europe may be launched the outcome of which will doubtless be controlling upon Allied invasion plans.

## IN WASHINGTON

By Peter Edson
Monroe Morning World Washington Correspondent

Things have come to a pretty pass, indeed, when you have difficulty in getting a potato. Yet the mere fact that potatoes are now hard to get—in some places impossible to get—is perhaps the most significant development of the war. It isn't just a home front development, either. The army, too, has had difficulty in getting spuds for overseas shipment. And so, the decline of the potatoes becomes a burning question, an issue—the hot potato issue, you might say, and fraught with social significance.

The OWI report on the United States wartime food situation, hot off the duplicating machines, indicates that there should be as many potatoes this year as last. In fact, more: 129.7 pounds per capita in 1943 as against 125.1 pounds in 1942, and only one pound (exactly) less than the five-year average of 130.7 pounds per capita, 1935-39. All of which goes to show how much the experts know about these things, the truest line in the OWI report being a magnificent generality, "The food situation is not entirely predictable." Life is like that, too, to coin another phrase.

But seriously, now, and not to belittle, just what is behind this potato predicament? Is production off? Are people eating more? Has the American distribution system gone completely to pot? Is it the weather? Are people hoarding potatoes? Are they all going to lend-lease? Or has the black market got 'em? The answers would seem to be a little of each.

People are working harder. More people are working harder. More people working harder make more money. Their energy requirements are up, they have more money to buy more potatoes and blooey! Up goes the potato consumption.

A nice theory is that when starchy potatoes became unstylish, production dropped off to next to nothing, but that isn't so. Potato acreage has dropped off from 3.5 million acres to 2.8 million acres in the last 10 years, but while that was happening, the yield per acre has gone up from 100 bushels to the acre to over 130 bushels to the acre, making the 1942 crop of 371 million bushels higher than the yield of 17 out of the last 25 years.

All right, but if all those potatoes were grown, where are they? The alibis run something like this:

Now is the tag end of the 1942 potato season. New potatoes are just beginning to come to market, or should be. But the Florida freeze cut the early potato crop by 50 per cent. Louisiana and Mississippi crops are three weeks late. Texas potatoes are just beginning to move. And the next tier of potato states, Alabama, Georgia, California, won't be doing much digging till the first of May.

That puts up the demand on the holdover crops of Idaho and Maine some 15,000 to 20,000 carloads. The army has practically taken over all the remaining Maine crop, about 5,000 to 7,000 carloads, for overseas supply. No one in Maine can now ship old potatoes without a government permit, and what the army doesn't want, the food distribution agency does, for emergency shipments. There is an increased demand for Idaho, Colorado, Oregon and north central states potatoes to keep the dehydrating plants going, to build up army reserves. And to further assist in sweeping the market clean, there is the normal spring demand for seed potatoes.

Here comes in your old friend, the black market operator. Knowing that people requiring seed potatoes to plant can get them on certificate, thousands of bushels of "seed potatoes" have been sold on the black market at high, seed prices, which will never be planted any place except in a pot or oven in a kitchen stove. Seed potatoes have even been sold to apartment house dwellers in some eastern metropolitan centers.

So that's the potato situation, and it will be like that maybe till mid-May.

But the experts still say there isn't any shortage. Potatoes won't be scarce and victory gardeners are still advised not to plant potatoes as there will be enough later on to make up for what you don't get now.

## IN HOLLYWOOD

By Erskine Johnson
(NEA Service Staff Correspondent)

We privately separate the more objectionable types of movie customers into five distinct categories—the Snerk, the Woofer, the Gasper, the Date and the Crunch.

The Snerk delights in finding boners on the screen. He will sit there as tense and still as a pointer dog until his keen senses detect an anachronism or some other error; then with a luxurious sneer he will turn to his companion and reveal the stupidity of it all in a throaty stage whisper calculated to impress all the other customers seated within three rows of him. Later he will write a very superior letter about it to the studio.

The Woofer, who is fortunately a somewhat rare character in the big cities, becomes so fascinated by the more melodramatic scenes that he comes to think of himself as one of the dramatis personae, and is apt to startle the whole audience at any moment with the cry of, "Look out! He's got a knife." One of our friends, Joan Crawford, is a Woofer.

The Gasper is the lady who is so awe-struck by the heroine's hat that she gasps aloud as though beholding the Grand Canyon. The Date travels in gangs. It is the young jitterbug of either sex who goes to the movie with from four to eight of its kind and indulges in hilarious conversation that has absolutely nothing to do with the picture.

An the Crunch thinks that a picture show without candy is like coffee without cream. It sits there freely crunching out an obligato to the musical score and rattling the paper bag like kettle drums.

**Becoming A Snerk**

We have always regarded the Snerk, the Woofer, the Gasper, the Date and the Crunch as among the most hateful of God's creatures. What, then, was our dismay the other evening to discover that we personally were becoming the worst of the lot—an out and out Snerk!

There we were, minding our own business in a darkened theater while they unraveled "Hello, Frisco, Hello," when it [illegible]ttorney].

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The Sunday school and worship 11:00 a.m. meet at 2 p.m. and Brot p.m. and Training union 6:45 p.m. This will be a great all our people are urged to give best to make it the best yet.

Beginning May 10 through the 16th, we will have with us for the week. Rev. E. E. Smith. We are looking forward for a great revival spirit from this meeting. All plans are being made for this.

Are you a newcomer to Monroe? Central welcomes you to all the services of the day; especially do we invite all men in the armed forces or connected with the defense industry, holding themselves responsible for assisting the tabernacle with deft movements. [illegible]e water she held

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"Right about what?" Allison was gathering up tray and glasses for the servant to take out.

"We bet, Renaldo and I," Barry told her lazily, feeling all at once easy and comfortable, "on whether you'd make the trip."

"And how did you bet?" She paused beside him, her lashes almost touching her cheeks as she looked down into his face.

"I bet you wouldn't," Barry told her.

"Which proves," she laughed, "that Renaldo understands me better than you do."

"Oh, but it wasn't quite fair," Renaldo protested gallantly. "Because I knew your father, Mr. Fielding didn't. I gambled you had the jungle in your blood like he did. And I'm afraid you have."

He turned to follow her with his eyes as she walked to the hall and handed over the tray to the Indian woman. Barry watched him in deepening surprise. He realized abruptly that Allison was not the only one who had changed during his absence. Renaldo, too, was different. Gone was the stern, quiet—almost condescending—command in the Spaniard's manner. A subtle warmth had crept in, a tentative friendliness. He had used the same phrase that night on the trek—he feared the girl had the jungle in her blood—but where there had been apprehension, antagonism in his voice that night, now there was something almost like pride. And in his dark eyes . . .

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Barry controlled a sharp rising irritation. Why shouldn't the handsome Renaldo fall for a girl like Allison Topping? She was warm and vivid and delicate. Her blondeness was a perfect foil for the Spaniard's dark good looks. And if she really wanted to stay here . . . He roused at Renaldo's laugh.

"You are looking very unhappy, my friend. I am sorry about your trip."

Barry's anger swept into another current.

"Sorry is no name for it!" he exploded. "I want to talk to you about it. Of all the dirty, double-crossing deals I ever ran into—!"

Allison was standing beside Renaldo again. "May I hear it, too?" she asked.

Barry hesitated. Then he said bluntly, "Sure. It's no worse than a Gossip Column."

Allison and Renaldo pulled chairs close to the bed while Barry talked. He told them in painstaking detail every step of the trip. The meeting with the chief, his cordial hospitality, his apparently sympathetic hearing of all Barry had to say, his honest indecision in the matter of revealing the mines. Turning to Renaldo, he added:

"Your letter to him seemed to make him our friend. He said a lot of complimentary things about you."

Renaldo nodded thoughtfully. "He's a great old fellow."

Barry grimaced with rueful humor. "But you should have seen him that night at the trial. He couldn't have been any colder if he'd been molded out of liquid air." He told them then of his rude awakening by the angry natives, of the weird, frightful judgment scene in the chief's tent and of the death sentence of the girl. Finally of their imprisonment and escape.

Allison shuddered. "How perfectly ghastly! But the girl won't die, will she?"

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Renaldo looked serious. "I wouldn't be surprised."

"But why," Allison cried, "would anyone want to frame Barry? Some Quiche, perhaps, with something against the girl or her family?"

"Perhaps," Renaldo said slowly, "but can't think so. The Quiches are a do ria and peaceful tribe within Sundays. I'm afraid is even more service, than that."

p.m. Read and Allison watched the building, aniard as he paced the floor days asly. At length, unable to enher curiosity, All burst out: "What is it, Renaldo? For heaven's sake, tell us!"

Renaldo paused at the foot of the bed, flashing Allison sympathetic half smile. His dark eyes were brooding and sorrowful. "For a number of years now," he began slowly, "the Chief and I have been close friends as a Quiche ever is with an outsider. I admire him. I am fond of him. That is why I know he is filled with a great anxiety."

Barry watched the Spaniard, fascinated. There was pow in those black eyes. Small wonder he had gained the fear and respect of the Quiches as well as the Indians on the topping plantation, he thought.

"Each month or so," Renaldo went on, "when the Quiches bring their clay jugs of quicksilver down to the coast to trade for bananas and salt, they have been buying more and more other things—bright ornaments, sometimes dresses or suits from the trading post, mingling more with other tribes, carrying back their stories. The chief has been struggling against this tendency. It is his duty to see this slow infiltration of foreign ideas does not betray their precious isolation. I have felt, during our last meetings, he was growing desperate over the situation, unable to stem the tide of his people's interests in the outside world."

Barry gasped. "You don't think the chief framed me!"

Renaldo's eyes were fixed on him, compassion in their black depths. "The chief is a smart man," he said simply. "Can you think of a better way to impress his people with the danger of outsiders? The sacrifice of one of the tribe's most beautiful maidens has often been the shock which taught them the error of their ways."

The logic of Renaldo's reasoning appalled Barry. "In that case," he said hopelessly, "is there nothing I can do?"

Renaldo released a long breath. "The first thing for you to do is to get well, my friend. After that, we will see."

(To Be Continued)

## PATRONAGE GOES A-PLEADING NOW

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Patronage goes a-pleading these days in the nation's capitol.

And the heartaches of turning down job-hungry applicants only a few years ago have turned the headaches—headaches in finding qualified men for the thousand and one jobs necessary to keep official life functioning smoothly.

Take it from Representative Emmet O'Neal, Democrat, Kentucky, chairman of the house patronage committee, the search for such men has become a serious problem.

He explained that most of the jobs on the patronage list are in the low salaried class, elevator operators, workmen in the house and senate office buildings, capitol police.

"And," he added, with the high cost of living in Washington, there is little inducement for people to leave their homes and come here when they can get pay elsewhere in war industries."

The demand, however, still holds up for appointment as house and senate page boys. The youngsters learn while they work, study in their own school in the capitol itself, and pick up first hand history in the making.

## STORY OF DARK JUNGLES

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## BELIEVE IT OR NOT — By Ripley

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**EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON**

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## JOHN CULLEN, ELI SHONBRON ARE EXECUTED

OSSINING, N. Y., April 30.—(AP)—Eli Shonbrun, 35, met death last night in the dark, square arms of Sing Sing's electric chair carrying with him the memory of a last letter from brunette Madeline Webb, his self-professed "undying love" and convicted partner in crime.

He was followed into the death chamber by John Cullen, 45, the "forgotten man" in the case who had told prison officials there was "nobody" they should notify of his death.

These two and Madeline, a Stillwater, Okla., girl, were convicted of the strangulation-murder 13 months ago of Mrs. Sarah Pfaus Reich, a wealthy Polish refugee, in a New York City hotel.

The Webb girl, who came to New York originally to make a name for herself in show business, was in her cell in nearby women's state prison at Bedford Hills, N. Y., when the end came for the chalky-faced Shonbrun. She is serving a life sentence.

A fourth defendant, Murray Hirschl, uncle of Shonbrun, turned state's evidence, and there has been no disposition of his case.

Upon entering the death chamber, Shonbrun said in a voice shaken with emotion:

"They crucified an innocent girl. Now they are going to kill an innocent man." He was put in the chair at 11:01 p.m., eastern war time, and pronounced dead at 11:05 p.m.

Cullen, speaking in a voice somewhat steadier than Shonbrun's, said:

"I am about to meet my God. Tell Governor Dewey (Thomas E. Dewey, governor of New York state) that I am innocent of any crime." He was placed in the chair at 11:07 p.m. and pronounced dead at 11:11 p.m. The Rev. Father Bernard Martin, Catholic chaplain at Sing Sing, accompanied both men to the chair.

The contents of Madeline's letter—which Shonbrun would not have received if his sentence had been commuted—were not disclosed. Warden Robert J. Kirby said he gave the letter to the small-time thief at 9 p.m., and it was destroyed after the condemned man read it.

## SCOUTS TO COLLECT PAPER ON SATURDAY

Waste paper will be collected from the entire residential section south of DeSiard street on Saturday, May 1, according to L. L. Price, chairman of the paper campaign of the Twin Cities.

Troops 29, 30, 33, 34, and 35 will collect waste paper from this large area, with each troop assigned a specific portion of it. Residents are urged to have their waste paper packed either in boxes, tied in bundles or in paper sacks. Mr. Price makes this request so the paper will not blow over the streets, as it will be placed on street corners to be picked up by city trucks during the afternoon. He states further that it is to the interest of all concerned that paper not be placed on the streets in a loose condition.

Troops 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 of West Monroe will collect waste paper in West Monroe on the following Saturday, May 8, with troops 1, 28, and 31 collecting from the section north of DeSiard on Saturday, May 15. These troops failed to collect on their first assigned day due to rain. Sea Ship 1 and troop 32 will collect from the Sherrouse, Morning Side, and Cole additions on Saturday, May 22, having to give way last Saturday to the bond drive parade.

## Radio Program

SATURDAY, MAY 1

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT., 2 Hrs. for MWT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)

1:00—All Out for Victory, Orch.—nbc
Vincent Lopez & Orchestra — blu
Adventures from Science Science—mbs
News; Dance Music; Orchestra—mbs
1:15—People's War, Hal Fleming—nbc
Fantasy in Melody & Orchestra—bla
Highways to Health Program — cbs
2:00—Roy Shield and Company—nbc
To Be Announced (3 hrs.) — blu
News; Serenade From Buffalo—cbs
Dancing Music Variety (2½ hrs.)—mbs
2:15—Spirit of '43, War Series—bla
Mutual Goes Calling, Variety—mbs
2:45—Family at War, Dramatic—nbc
3:00—U. S. Air Forces Band—nbc
Of Men & Books, Dr. Frederick—cbs
Chicago Concert Orch., 30 m.—mbs
3:00—Ladies Are In Love—cbs
F.O.B. Detroit, a Variety Show—cbs
Shady Valley Folks in Variety—mbs
4:00—Matinee in Rhythm Orch.—nbc
Washington News for Home—mbs
Elmer Davis Repeat on Broadcasting
4:30—London Comes on the Air—cbs
Broadcast of Racing by Horses—nbc
4:45—Minstrel Melodies, Orchest.—nbc
Calling Pan-America, a Concert—nbc
Dance Music, Orchestra, Time—mbs
5:00—
Musical Cocktail by Orchestra—nbc
To Be Announced (one hour) — mbs
Navy Bulletin Board, Variety — mbs
5:30—Three Suns, Alex Dreier — nbc
5:45—Sol Lewis, Country Editor—bla
6:00—Chicago Dance Orc.; News—nbc
Korn Kobblers Band & News—bla
Frazier Hunt's News Spot—cbs-base
Ross Brown's Song Time—pa-west
Prayer; I Hear America Sing—mbs
6:15—Kentucky Derby in Details—nbc
Commentator From Hundreds — mbs
6:30—Talk on the Art of Living—nbc
Message of Israel on the Radio—cbs
Hawaii Calls, Native Musicians—mbs
6:45—Paul Lavalle and Orchestra—nbc
Bobby Tucker's Voices, Choral—cbs
7:00—To Be Announced (30 m.)—nbc
Adventures of Falcon, Drama—bla
Weekly Reports to the Nation—mbs
American Radio Club, London—mbs
7:30—Ellery Queen's Drama—nbc-west
Grand Old Opera Prog.—nbc-south
Noah Webster Says, Quiz—nbc-west
Jimmy Thomas & Variety Show—blu
Bob Hawk and His Quiz Show—cbs
Arthur Hale—wor-wgn-wamo-wbax
7:45—Arthur Hale repeat—other nbs
8:00—Abie's Irish Rose, Drama — nbc
Roy Porter in News Broadcast—blu
Crumit & Julia Sanderson Quiz—cbs
This is the (Half) Hour War—mbs
8:15—Boston Symphony Orchest.—blu
8:30—Truth, Consequences, Quiz—nbc
Dave Elman and Hobby Lobby—cbs
Uptown Close Dancing Orchest—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
9:00—National Barn Dance Show—nbc
Grand Old 'Opry repeat—nbc-south
Saturday Hit Parade Orchestra—cbs
Chicago's Theater of the Air—mbs
9:30—Edward Tomlinson's Talk—blu
9:45—Can You Top This, Gags—nbc
Spotlight Bands, Guest Orchest.—blu
9:45—Saturday Night's Serenade—cbs
9:55—Five-Minute Dramatization—blu
10:00—Bill Stern Sports & Guest—nbc
John Gunther in Commentary—blu
John B. Hughes in Comment—mbs
10:15—To Be Announced (15 min.)—nbc
To Be Announced (30 mins.) — blu
Groucho Marx and Var. Series—cbs
Saturday Night's Bondwagon—mbs
10:30—Encores, Vocalist & Orch.—nbc
10:45—Betty Bann Singing Latest—blu
Eileen Farrell & Concert Orch.—cbs
Fifteen Minute Dance Programs—mbs
11:00—Late Variety With News — nbc
Dancing & News (2 hrs.)—blu & cbs
Dance Orchestra, News 3 hrs.—mbs

## HOLD EVERYTHING

By CLYDE LEWIS

"My girl sure is romantic—calls me her knight in shining armor!"

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| 7:15 | Morning Melodies | Local |
| 7:30 | The Sunshine Boys | Local |
| 7:45 | News | Local |
| 7:50 | Musical Interlude | Local |
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## 2 HEROES NAMED IN PLANE CRASH

DALLAS, Tex., April 30.—(AP)—The Fifth ferrying group today named two heroes in connection with the crash-landing and burning yesterday at Hampton airport of the Suzie-Q Flying Fortress of Pearl Harbor.

They were Major Wyatt H. Alexander, Jr., of Atlanta, Ga., pilot, and Technical Sergeant Ed H. Smith of Blawnax, Ga.

The announcement said that when the plane crashed with its wheels up the waist door on the side of the ship's fuselage was jammed and the men inside were trapped momentarily.

Alexander jumped from the door in the plane's nose, ran back and knocked out several windows, permitting the men to escape the burning ship.

Smith was credited with saving a number of men from serious injury or death, the announcement added, when he ordered them to lie flat on the floor of the plane when the crash was imminent.

None of the plane's 21 passengers was killed. Six received minor injuries.

Army officials today opened an investigation.

The plane was en route to Waco with the Love field Fifth ferrying group baseball team which was to meet a team from the army flying school there yesterday.

### HEARST 80 YEARS OLD

SANTA MONICA, Calif., April 30—(AP)—William Randolph Hearst, publisher of the Hearst newspapers, observed his 80th birthday with a dinner party last night in his Santa Monica beach home. Four of the publisher's five sons and a few close friends were his guests. Absent was son Randolph Hearst, abroad with the United States army air forces ferrying command.

## New York Day By Day

By CHARLES B. DRISCOLL
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NEW YORK—A note from Miss Anna Wenzel, of Fitchburg, Mass., reminds me that some owners of cats and dogs already are beginning to dispose of the animals to save food, and some people are apt to put their pets to death in an inhumane manner.

If you must get rid of your pet, call the Humane Society or the ASPCA. These people will do the job in a humane way. Don't murder your pets or any other animal.

And this leads me to a thought developed during my conversation with Howard Kershner, of the Friends Service in Europe. I asked about dogs in France. He said that nearly all dogs and cats have disappeared. The people became so hungry that they killed their pets to save the food. Already, residents of big cities in America are beginning to understand how such a situation could come about.

When I was in Russia ten years after the end of the World War, there were almost no dogs, and the few I saw were starving. And Russia was being ruined by rats and pestilence.

Destroy the dogs and cats, and you make way for plagues. Rats and mice are the old, standard carriers of disease. They increase by billions; they swell like a national budget, when dogs and cats disappear.

We already have influenza, virus pneumonia, meningitis and measles epidemic in this country, and the war is just beginning. Let us, if we can, save our dogs and cats. They will return the favor.

"Gee whillikens!" is a cuss-w that I haven't heard in many ye

"Dad-burn it!" was a fav among the farmers in our neigh hood, too, and it seems to have wa away for lack of exercise.

"Doggone" and "Dog it all" prevalent in our country school, "Gol-durn" was especially po among the settlers who came New England.

My friend, Major Cornelius Vande bilt, who, by the way, is improvi after long confinement with hea trouble in Walter Reed hospital, cal any nonsensical or trifling fellow shike-poke. That is the name of kind of heron, not highly considere which inhabits marshes in many pa of the country.

Would it be all right with Ma Vanderbilt and the heron family we were to call Hitler a shike-pok

A few lines that may give comf to some who are in trouble are s me by Mr. T. S. Plunket, of Eton, in connection with the passing of friend and mine, Editor Alfred Jo Lengthened breath is not the swe gift God sends his friend,
Sometimes the sable pall of conceals his fairest boon;
If we could push the gates ajar and stand within
And all God's workings see,
We might compose our grie doubt.
And for each mystery find a

The author of the lines is t to Mr. Plunket.

Alexander Hermann, magic been dead 43 years, I read in the magician's magazine. Yet day, when you speak of mag are apt to think of Hermann

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## TOLD TO REPLACE CHILDLESS WOR

ATLANTA, April 30—(AP) manufacturers were advised t plan for withdrawal and rein of single men and married me out children, who are betwe ages of 18 and 38.

Herman Cone of Greensboro, president of the American Manufacturers' association, speech prepared for the annual ing of the group today, said h convinced from information at that all members should prepar placement schedules and file with their state selective servic ficials.

"In order for the replacement schedule to become official, it m be accepted by your state select service board and approved by t War Manpower commission; therefo in filing a schedule, it is sugges that some person in authority in y organization personally go over schedule with your selective ser officials.

"The replacement schedule w enable you to follow an orderly p cedure in employing and training placement help."

Cone said the manpower pro in cotton mills was becoming incr ingly acute daily. At the end of the annual turnover of empl amounted to nearly 100 per cent, said, compared to a rate of 16 cent in 1939.

Reporting on production, he sa cotton mills consumed an average d 953,265 bales of cotton monthly in 1942, compared with 881,963 in 1941 and 614,156 in 1939.

## FINNISH MINISTER TO FRANCE NAMED

HELSINKI, April 30.—(AP)—Aaro Pakaslahti, secretary general of the foreign office, was appointed Finnis minister to France today and was su ceeded at the foreign office by Paavo Hynninen, once Finland's envoy to Moscow.

Pakaslahti's transfer, observers said, was calculated to please the United States legation.

(Stockholm dispatches this month said that Pakaslahti was known as strongly pro-German and that he was regarded as the real maker of the policy that has resulted in a steady deterioration of Finnish-American relations.

(The office of secretary general of the foreign office corresponds to that of undersecretary of state in the United States.)

## BIBLE THOUGHT

Wherefore putting away lying, speak ry man truth with his neighbor; for are members one of another.—hesians 4:25.

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Think truly, and thy thoughts
Shall the world's famine feed.
Speak truly, and each word of thine
Shall be a fruitful seed.
Live truly, and thy life shall be
A great and noble deed.—Horatius Bonar.

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## Nature's Month

The blooms and blossoms of May have ever aroused poets to ecstasy. "May is building her house. With apple blossoms she is roofing over the glimmering rooms," wrote Richard Le Gallienne.

May is the month when nature unrolls her magic green carpet over the world and decorates it with sweet-scented flowers and delicate buds that burst into colorful profusion under the waxing heat of the sun. Perfume-laden breezes sweep across the countryside and even into city streets. An invigorating freshness is apparent in the atmosphere and hope surges in the human heart.

The month of May has inspired a spirit of festivity in mankind from earliest times. According to Chaucer and other English writers it was customary for all persons, even the court itself, to go on the first May morning at an early hour to "fetch the flowers fresh."

The May pole custom was widespread in Europe. It took for an interruption in England from the Puritan era. The United States the May Day festival has come into favor.

May is a month in which many persons, including Dante, Wagner, Emerson, Florence Nightingale—and the Dionne quintuplets—have been born, which has seen disasters, among them the eruption of Mount Pelee, Martinique, in which 26,000 perished; the sinking of the Lusitania and the Empress of Ireland, each of which more than 1,000 persons lost their lives; the Johnstown flood, in which 2,200 were drowned. On May, Napoleon and Voltaire died, Henry VIII, was beheaded, Lady Jane Grey, queen of Henry famed pirate, was hanged. And May 1, 1898, is the day on which Dewey won his famous victory at Manila Bay.


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### ALLIED AIR WAR

Staggering losses inflicted upon Axis Tunisia campaign justify optimistic claims Nations have established supremacy in the Mediterranean theater. The daily bag of and fighters reaches imposing totals, insp as to how long the enemy can afford to a in attempts to evacuate—or reinforce—i nisia.

These conquests are apart from syst Italian bases, of enemy positions in Tunis ment inflicted upon Axis shipping.

Feeble enemy resistance to Allied aeri Mediterranean area raises again the question as to what has become of the luftwaffe. The apparent answer is that the luftwaffe has been forced to dilute its strength.

Except for Russia, where it maintains superiority in the air, the luftwaffe has gone more and more on the defensive. A large section is pinned in Germany by the furious Allied raids on Nazi industrial centers and submarine bases. Other squadrons have been diverted to the sea lanes to supplement submarine attacks on Allied convoys.

But plane losses by the Allied fleets operating over Germany suggest the luftwaffe is still an effective fighting arm, with its status largely changed from an offensive to a defensive weapon. With the arrival of better flying weather a battle for air supremacy over western Europe may be launched the outcome of which will doubtless be controlling upon Allied invasion plans.

## IN WASHINGTON

By Peter Edson
Monroe Morning World Washington Correspondent

Things have come to a pretty pass, indeed, when you have difficulty in getting a potato. Yet the mere fact that potatoes are now hard to get—in some places impossible to get—is perhaps the most significant development of the war. It isn't just a home front development, either. The army, too, has had difficulty in getting spuds for overseas shipment. And so, the decline of the potatoes becomes a burning question, an issue—the hot potato issue, you might say, and fraught with social significance.

The OWI report on the United States wartime food situation, hot off the duplicating machines, indicates that there should be as many potatoes this year as last. In fact, more: 129.7 pounds per capita in 1943 as against 125.1 pounds in 1942, and only one pound (exactly) less than the five-year average of 130.7 pounds per capita, 1935-39. All of which goes to show how much the experts know about these things, the truest line in the OWI report being a magnificent generality, "The food situation is not entirely predictable." Life is like that, too, to coin another phrase.

But seriously, now, and not to belittle, just what is behind this potato predicament? Is production off? Are people eating more? Has the American distribution system gone completely to pot? Is it the weather? Are people hoarding potatoes? Are they all going to lend-lease? Or has the black market got 'em? The answers would seem to be a little of each.

People are working harder. More people are working harder. More people working harder make more money. Their energy requirements are up, they have more money to buy more potatoes and blooey! Up goes the potato consumption.

A nice theory is that when starchy potatoes became unstylish, production dropped off to next to nothing, but that isn't so. Potato acreage has dropped off from 3.5 million acres to 2.8 million acres in the last 10 years, but while that was happening, the yield yer acre has gone up from 100 bushels to the acre to over 130 bushels to the acre, making the 1942 crop of 371 million bushels higher than the yield of 17 out of the last 25 years.

All right, but if all those potatoes were grown, where are they? The alibis run something like this:

Now is the tag end of the 1942 potato season. New potatoes are just beginning to come to market, or should be. But the Florida freeze cut the early potato crop by 50 per cent. Louisiana and Mississippi crops are three weeks late. Texas potatoes are just beginning to move. And the next tier of potato states, Alabama, Georgia, California, won't be doing much digging till the first of May.

That puts up the demand on the holdover crops of Idaho and Maine some 15,000 to 20,000 carloads. The army has practically taken over all the remaining Maine crop, about 5,000 to 7,000 carloads, for overseas supply. No one in Maine can now ship old potatoes without a government permit, and what the army doesn't want, the food distribution agency does, for emergency shipments. There is an increased demand for Idaho, Colorado, Oregon and north central states potatoes to keep the dehydrating plants going, to build up army reserves. And to further assist in sweeping the market clean, there is the normal spring demand for seed potatoes.

Here comes in your old friend, the black market operator. Knowing that people requiring seed potatoes to plant can get them on certificate, thousands of bushels of "seed potatoes" have been sold on the black market at high, seed potato prices, which will never be planted any place except in a pot or oven of some kitchen stove. Seed potatoes have even been sold to apartmnt house dwellers in some eastern metropolitan centers.

So that's the potato situation, and it will be like that maybe till mid-May. But the experts still say there isn't any shortage. Potatoes won't be rationed and victory gardeners are still advised not to plant potatoes as there will be enough later on to make up for what you don't get now.

## IN HOLLYWOOD

By Erskine Johnson
(NEA Service Staff Correspondent)

We privately separate the more objectionable types of movie customers into five distinct categories—the Snerk, the Woofer, the Gasper, the Date and the Crunch.

The Snerk delights in finding boners on the screen. He will sit there as tense and still as a pointer dog until his keen senses detect an anachronism or some other error; then with a luxurious sneer he will turn to his companion and reveal the stupidity of it all in a throaty stage whisper calculated to impress all the other customers seated within three rows of him. Later he will write a very superior letter about it to the studio.

The Woofer, who is fortunately a somewhat rare character in the big cities, becomes so fascinated by the more melodramatic scenes that he comes to think of himself as one of the dramatis personae, and is apt to startle the whole audience at any moment with the cry of, "Look out! He's got a knife." One of our friends, Joan Crawford, is a Woofer.

The Gasper is the lady who is so awe-struck by the heroine's hat that she gasps aloud as though beholding the Grand Canyon. The Date travels in gangs. It is the young jitterbug of either sex who goes to the movie with from four to eight of its kind and indulges in hilarious conversation that has absolutely nothing to do with the picture.

An the Crunch thinks that a picture show without candy is like coffee without cream. It sits there freely crunching out an obligato to the musical score and rattling the paper bag like kettle drums.

**Becoming A Snerk**

We have always regarded the Snerk, the Woofer, the Gasper, the Date and the Crunch as among the most hateful of God's creatures. What, then, was our dismay the other evening to discover that we personally were becoming the worst of the lot—an out and out Snerk!

There we were, minding our own business in a darkened theater while they unraveled "Hello, Frisco, Hello," when it [illegible] pretty authentic, the only discordant note being the comparative calm that prevailed there. Then a big red-headed miner played by Laird Cregar got tossed out of a saloon on his head. He got up, dusted himself off, and began to talk about knowing right where he could strike it rich, and about "Ralston's bank."

Then, bingo, the camera took us inside Sharkey's place where the stage curtain had a picture of the Ferry building on it. We couldn't quite reconcile that with "Ralston's bank" or with nutty prospectors, either.

Then up went the curtain and we saw Alice Faye singing a number over the telephone—a French telephone, too. About that time we got to noticing the costumes, and figured that the actual period of the piece was supposed to be somewhere around 1910 (whereas "Ralston's bank" had ceased to exist as such long about 1870) and that the producers had just decided to skip the earthquake of 1906. We leaned over and mentioned these discrepancies to the little woman.

**No Sympathy**

"Oh, keep quiet," she said. "I want to enjoy this. You're getting to be a regular Snerk."

"A Snerk!"

"Yes, a Snerk. You did the same thing the other night when we went to see 'Young Mr. Pitt.' All through the picture you kept muttering because Nelson didn't look the same age as Pitt. You simply ruined the picture for me. Now keep quiet."

We sank back in our seat and brooded. We brooded, in fact, for three days. There was no doubt about it; the little woman was right. Come to think of it, we had snerked at a couple of other pictures, too. And that we remembered a producer named Jeff Lazarus, who confessed to us once that he was a Snerk himself. He was the manager of a San Francisco theater. Every week he would telephone Adolph Zukor, then head of Paramount, and snerk and snerk and snerk. Finally Zukor said, "All right, Lazarus; if you think you can make better films, come down here and try it." Lazarus did. He's been a producer ever since. Our text for today: "It isn't what you know, but who you know that doesn't know it."

STORY

## DARK JUNGLES

[illegible]EMING & LOIS EBY

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Beginning May 10 through the 16th, we will have with us for the week, Rev. E. E. Smith. We are looking forward for a great revival spirit from this meeting. All plans are being made for this.

Are you a newcomer to Monroe? Central welcomes you to all the services of the day; especially do we invite all men in the armed [illegible]es or connected with the defen[illegible]cine, holdway.

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"Right about what?" Allison was gathering up tray and glasses for the servant to take out.

"We bet, Renaldo and I," Barry told her lazily, feeling all at once easy and comfortable, "on whether you'd make the trip."

"And how did you bet?" She paused beside him, her lashes almost touching her cheeks as she looked down into his face.

"I bet you wouldn't," Barry told her.

"Which proves," she laughed, "that Renaldo understands me better than you do."

"Oh, but it wasn't quite fair," Renaldo protested gallantly. "Because I knew your father, Mr. Fielding didn't. I gambled you had the jungle in your blood like he did. And I'm afraid you have."

He turned to follow her with his eyes as she walked to the hall and handed over the tray to the Indian woman. Barry watched him in deepening surprise. He realized abruptly that Allison was not the only one who had changed during his absence. Renaldo, too, was different. Gone was the stern, quiet—almost condescending—command in the Spaniard's manner. A subtle warmth had crept in, a tentative friendliness. He had used the same phrase that night on the trek—he feared the girl had the jungle in her blood—but where there had been apprehension, antagonism in his voice that night, now there was something almost like pride. And in his dark eyes . . .

* * *

Barry controlled a sharp rising irritation. Why shouldn't the handsome Renaldo fall for a girl like Allison Topping? She was warm and vivid and delicate. Her blondeness was a perfect foil for the Spaniard's dark good looks. And if she really wanted to stay here . . . He roused at Renaldo's laugh.

"You are looking very unhappy, my friend. I am sorry about your trip."

Barry's anger swept into another current.

"Sorry is no name for it!" he exploded. "I want to talk to you about it. Of all the dirty, double-crossing deals I ever ran into—!"

Allison was standing beside Renaldo again. "May I hear it, too?" she asked.

Barry hesitated. Then he said bluntly, "Sure. It's no worse than a Gossip Column."

Allison and Renaldo pulled chairs close to the bed while Barry talked. He told them in painstaking detail every step of the trip. The meeting with the chief, his cordial hospitality, his apparently sympathetic hearing of all Barry had to say, his honest indecision in the matter of revealing the mines. Turning to Renaldo, he added:

"Your letter to him seemed to make him our friend. He said a lot of complimentary things about you."

Renaldo nodded thoughtfully. "He's a great old fellow."

Barry grimaced with rueful humor. "But you should have seen him that night at the trial. He couldn't have been any colder if he'd been molded out of liquid air." He told them then of his rude awakening by the angry natives, of the weird, frightful judgment scene in the chief's tent and of the death sentence of the girl. Finally of their imprisonment and escape.

Allison shuddered. "How perfectly ghastly! But the girl won't die, will she?"

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Renaldo looked serious. "I wouldn't be surprised."

"But why," Allison cried, "would anyone want to frame Barry? Some Quiche, perhaps, with something against the girl or her family?"

"Perhaps," Renaldo said slowly, "but can[illegible]n't think so. The Quiches are a do[illegible]rd and peaceful tribe within Sunda[illegible]es. I'm afraid it is even more service, [illegible]an that."

p.m. Rea[illegible]nd Allison watched the building, [illegible]aniard as he paced the floor days [illegible]sly. At length, unable to en-[illegible]her curiosity, Allison burst out:

CB[illegible] What is it, Renaldo? For heaven's sake, tell us!"

Renaldo paused at the foot of the bed, flashing Allison a sympathetic half smile. His dark eyes were brooding and sorrowful. "For a number of years now," he began slowly, "the Chief and I have been as close friends as a Quiche ever is with an outsider. I admire him. I am fond of him. That is why I know he is filled with a great anxiety."

Barry watched the Spaniard, fascinated. There was power in those black eyes. Small wonder he had gained the fear and respect of the Quiches as well as the Indians on the Topping plantation, he thought.

"Each month or so," Renaldo went on, "when the Quiches bring their clay jugs of quicksilver down to the coast to trade for bananas and salt, they have been buying more and more other things—bright ornaments, sometimes dresses or suits from the trading post, mingling more with other tribes, carrying back their stories. The chief has been struggling against this tendency. It is his duty to see this slow infiltration of foreign ideas does not betray their precious isolation. I have felt, during our last meetings, he was growing desperate over the situation, unable to stem the tide of his people's interests in the outside world."

Barry gasped. "You don't think the chief framed me!"

Renaldo's eyes were fixed on him, compassion in their black depths. "The chief is a smart man," he said simply. "Can you think of a better way to impress his people with the danger of outsiders? The sacrifice of one of the tribe's most beautiful maidens has often been the shock which taught them the error of their ways."

The logic of Renaldo's reasoning appalled Barry. "In that case," he said hopelessly, "is there nothing I can do?"

Renaldo released a long breath. "The first thing for you to do is to get well, my friend. After that, we will see."

(To Be Continued)

## PATRONAGE GOES A-PLEADING NOW

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Patronage goes a-pleading these days in the nation's capitol.

And the heartaches of turning down job-hungry applicants only a few years ago have turned the headaches—headaches in finding qualified men for the thousand and one jobs necessary to keep official life functioning smoothly.

Take it from Representative Emmet O'Neal, Democrat, Kentucky, chairman of the house patronage committee, the search for such men has become a serious problem.

He explained that most of the jobs on the patronage list are in the low salaried class, elevator operaters, workmen in the house and senate office buildings, capitol police.

"And," he added, "with the high cost of living in Washington, there is little inducement for people to leave their homes and come here when they can get pay elsewhere in war industries."

The demand, however, still holds up for appointment as house and senate page boys. The youngsters learn while they work, study in their own school in the capitol itself, and pick up first hand history in the making.

## BELIEVE IT OR NOT

By Ripley

A 5-LETTER WORD THAT CONTAINS 9 WORDS IN ORDER
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A TAILOR IN BALTIMORE, Md.
GIGANTIC WISHBONES OF GOOD LUCK GREETED THE SOLDIERS IN NORTH AFRICA. THEY ARE FIXED ABOVE THE GATES LEADING TO THE IMPORTANT MOSQUES
DRAWN IN TUNISIA.
MRS. J.B WEST
Fort Worth, Texas - AGE 57
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EASTER WILL NOT FALL ON APRIL 25TH AGAIN UNTIL THE YEAR 2038
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Owned by CHARLES BATTY, Vernal, Utah.

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EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

MAGNETIC NESTS—The termites build their magnetic or compass nests in such a fashion that the narrow sides always point north and south like a compass. The broad sides of the nest always face east and west which insures quick drying of the "mortar" by the sun.

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## JOHN CULLEN, ELI SHONBRON ARE EXECUTED

OSSINING, N. Y., April 30.—(AP)—Eli Shonbrun, 35, met death last night in the dark, square arms of Sing Sing's electric chair carrying with him the memory of a last letter from brunette Madeline Webb, his self-professed "undying love" and convicted partner in crime.

He was followed into the death chamber by John Cullen, 45, the "forgotten man" in the case who had told prison officials there was "nobody" they should notify of his death.

These two and Madeline, a Stillwater, Okla., girl, were convicted of the strangulation-murder 13 months ago of Mrs. Susan Flora Reich, a wealthy Polish refugee, in a New York City hotel.

The Webb girl, who came to New York originally to make a name for herself in show business, was in her cell in nearby women's state prison at Bedford Hills, N. Y., when the end came for the chalky-faced Shonbrun. She is serving a life sentence.

A fourth defendant, Murray Hirschl, uncle of Shonbrun, turned state's evidence, and there has been no disposition of his case.

Upon entering the death chamber, Shonbrun said in a voice shaken with emotion:

"They crucified an innocent girl. Now they are going to kill an innocent man." He was put in the chair at 11:01 p.m., eastern war time, and pronounced dead at 11:05 p.m.

Cullen, speaking in a voice somewhat steadier than Shonbrun's, said:

"I am about to meet my God. Tell Governor Dewey (Thomas E. Dewey, governor of New York state) that I am innocent of any crime." He was placed in the chair at 11:07 p.m. and pronounced dead at 11:11 p.m. The Rev. Father Bernard Martin, Catholic chaplain at Sing Sing, accompanied both men to the chair.

The contents of Madeline's letter—which Shonbrun would not have received if his sentence had been commuted—were not disclosed. Warden Robert J. Kirby said he gave the letter to the small-time thief at 9 p.m., and it was destroyed after the condemned man read it.

## SCOUTS TO COLLECT PAPER ON SATURDAY

Waste paper will be collected from the entire residential section south of DeSiard street on Saturday, May 1, according to L. L. Price, chairman of the paper campaign of the Twin Cities.

Troops 29, 30, 33, 34, and 35 will collect waste paper from this large area, with each troop assigned a specific portion of it. Residents are urged to have their waste paper packed either in boxes, tied in bundles or in paper sacks. Mr. Price makes this request so the paper will not blow over the streets, as it will be placed on street corners to be picked up by city trucks during the afternoon. He states further that it is to the interest of all concerned that paper not be placed on the streets in a loose condition.

Troops 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 of West Monroe will collect waste paper in West Monroe on the following Saturday, May 8, with troops 1, 28, and 31 collecting from the section north of DeSiard on Saturday, May 15. These troops failed to collect on their first assigned day due to rain. Sea Ship 1 and troop 32 will collect from the Sherrouse, Morning Side, and Cole additions on Saturday, May 22, having to give way last Saturday to the bond drive parade.

## Radio Program

SATURDAY, MAY 1

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT., 2 Hrs. for MWT.

*(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)*

1:20—All Out for Victory, Orch.—nbc
Vincent Lopez & Orchestra — blu
Adventures from Science Series—cbs
News; Dance Music Orchestra—mbs
1:45—People's War, Hal Fleming—nbc
Fantasy in Melody & Orchestra—blu
Highways to Health Program — cbs
2:00—Roy Shield and Company—nbc
To Be Announced (3 hrs.) — blu
News; Serenade From Buffalo—cbs
Dancing Music Variety (30 m.)—mbs
2:30—Spirit of 1943, War Series—cbs
Mutual Goes Calling, Variety—mbs
2:45—Family at War, Dramatic—nbc
Of Men & Books, Dr. Frederick—cbs
Chicago Concert Orches., 30 m.—mbs
3:30—News; Lyrics Are by Liza—nbc
F.O.B. Detroit, a Variety Show—cbs
Shady Valley Folks in Variety—mbs
4:00—Matinee in Rhythm Orch.—nbc
Washington News for 15 mins.—cbs
Elmer Davis Digest on Records—mbs
4:15—London Comes on the Air—cbs
Broadcast of Racing by Horses—mbs
4:30—Minstrel Melodies, Orchest.—nbc
Calling Pan-America, a Concert—cbs
Dance Music Orchestra Time—mbs
5:00—Doctors at War, Dramatic—nbc
Musical Cocktail by Orchestra—blu
To Be Announced (one hour) — cbs
Navy Bulletin Board, Variety — mbs
5:30—Three Suns; Alex Dreier — nbc
5:45—Sol Lewis, Country Editor—blu
6:00—Chicago Dance Orc.; News—nbc
Korn Kobblers Band & News—blu
Frazier Hunt's News Spot—cbs-basic
Russ Brown's Song Time—cbs-west
Prayer; I Hear America Sing—mbs
6:15—Kentucky Derby in Details—cbs
Commentator from Honolulu — mbs
6:30—Talk on the Art of Living—nbc
Message of Israel on the Radio—blu
Hawaii Calls, Native Musicians—mbs
6:45—Paul Lavalle and Orchestra—nbc
Bobby Tucker's Voices, Choral—cbs
7:00—To Be Announced (30 m.)—nbc
Adventures of Falcon, Drama—blu
Weekly Reports to the Nation—cbs
American Eagle Club, London—mbs
7:30—Ellery Queen's Drama—nbc-east
Grand Old Opera Prog.—nbc-south
Noah Webster Says, Quiz—nbc-west
Danny Thomas & Variety Show—blu
Bob Hawk and His Quiz Show—cbs
Arthur Hale—wor-wazl-warm-wbax
7:45—Arthur Hale repeat—other mbs
8:00—Abie's Irish Rose, Drama — nbc
Roy Porter in News Broadcast—blu
Crumit & Julia Sanderson Quiz—cbs
This Is the (Half) Hour Var.—mbs
8:15—Boston Symphony Orchest.—blu
8:30—Truth, Consequences Quiz—nbc
Dave Elman and Hobby Lobby—cbs
Upton Close; Dancing Orchest.—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
9:00—National Barn Dance Show—nbc
Grand Old Opry repeat—nbc-south
Saturday Hit Parade Orchest.—cbs
Chicago's Theater of the Air—mbs
9:15—Edward Tomlinson's Talks—blu
9:30—Can You Top This, Gags—nbc
Spotlight Bands, Guest Orchest.—blu
9:45—Saturday Night's Serenade—cbs
9:55—Five-Minute Dramatization—blu
10:00—Bill Stern Sports & Guest—nbc
John Gunther in Commentary—blu
John B. Hughes In Comment—mbs
10:15—To Be Announced (15 min.)—nbc
To Be Announced (30 mins.) — blu
Groucho Marx and Var. Series—cbs
Saturday Night's Bondwagon—mbs
10:30—Encores, Vocalist & Orch.—nbc
10:45—Betty Rann Singing Latest—blu
Eileen Farrell & Concert Orch.—cbs
Fifteen Minute Dance Program—mbs
11:00—Late Variety With News — nbc
Dancing & News (2 hrs.)—blu & cbs
Dance Orchestra, News 3 hrs.—mbs

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## HOLD EVERYTHING

By CLYDE LEWIS

"My girl sure is romantic—calls me her knight in shining armor!"

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| TIME | TITLE | ORIGIN |
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| 5:00 | News | Local |
| 5:05 | Breakfast Cabaret | Local |
| 5:25 | News | Local |
| 5:30 | Hillbilly Roundup | Local |
| 6:00 | KWKH Farm Reporter | Local |
| 6:30 | Treasury Song Parade | Local |
| 6:35 | Morning Melodies | Local |
| 7:00 | News | Local |
| 7:05 | Musical Interlde | Local |
| 7:15 | Morning Melodies | Local |
| 7:30 | The Sunshine Boys | Local |
| 7:45 | News | Local |
| 7:50 | Musical Interlude | Local |
| 8:00 | News | CBS |
| 8:15 | Betty Crocker | Local |
| 8:30 | Garden Gate | CBS |
| 9:00 | Youth on Parade | CBS |
| 9:30 | U. S. Navy Band | CBS |
| 10:00 | Warren Sweeney, News | CBS |
| 10:05 | Let's Pretend | CBS |
| 10:30 | Fashions in Rations | CBS |
| 11:00 | Theater of Today | CBS |
| 11:35 | Stars Over Hollywood | CBS |
| 12:00 | Man on the Farm | Local |
| 12:30 | News | Local |
| 12:45 | The Farm Front | CBS |
| 1:00 | News | CBS |
| 1:05 | College Chapel Choir | CBS |
| 1:30 | Spirit of '43 | CBS |
| 2:00 | Of Men and Books | CBS |
| 2:30 | F. O. B. Detroit | CBS |
| 3:00 | Report from London | CBS |
| 3:15 | To Be Announced | CBS |
| 3:30 | Calling Pan-America | CBS |
| 4:05 | Cleveland Orchestra | CBS |
| 5:00 | News | Local |
| 5:05 | Russ Brown's Orchestra | CBS |
| 5:15 | Kentucky Derby | CBS |
| 5:45 | Matinee Dancing | Local |
| 6:00 | Report to the Nation | CBS |
| 6:30 | Thanks to the Yanks | CBS |
| 7:00 | Crumit and Sanderson | CBS |
| 7:30 | Hobby Lobby | CBS |
| 7:55 | Eric Sevareid, News | CBS |
| 8:00 | Your Hit Parade | CBS |
| 8:45 | Saturday Night Serenade | CBS |
| 9:15 | Blue Ribbon Town | CBS |
| 9:45 | Frazier Hunt, Commentator | CBS |
| 10:05 | Major O. P. Eliot | CBS |
| 10:15 | Sammy Kaye's Orchestra | CBS |
| 10:30 | News | Local |
| 10:40 | Carman Cavallero's Orchestra | CBS |
| 11:00 | News | CBS |
| 11:05 | Abe Lyman's Orchestra | CBS |
| 11:30 | Ray Pearl's Orchestra | CBS |
| 12:00 | | |
| 12:05 | Midnight Frolic | Local |
| 12:30 | News | Local |
| 12:35 | The Sunshine Boys | Local |
| 1:00 | News | Local |
| 1:05 | Sine | |

## 2 HEROES NAMED IN PLANE CRASH

DALLAS, Tex., April 30.—(AP)—The Fifth ferrying group today named two heroes in connection with the crash-landing and burning yesterday at Hampton airport of the Suzie-Q Flying Fortress of Pearl Harbor.

They were Major Wyatt H. Alexander, Jr., of Atlanta, Ga., pilot, and Technical Sergeant Ed H. Smith of Blawnax, Ga.

The announcement said that when the plane crashed with its wheels up the waist door on the side of the ship's fuselage was jammed and the men inside were trapped momentarily.

Alexander jumped from the door in the plane's nose, ran back and knocked out several windows, permitting the men to escape the burning ship.

Smith was credited with saving a number of men from serious injury or death, the announcement added, when he ordered them to lie flat on the floor of the plane when the crash was imminent.

None of the plane's 21 passengers was killed. Six received minor injuries.

Army officials today opened an investigation.

The plane was en route to Waco with the Love field Fifth ferrying group baseball team which was to meet a team from the army flying school there yesterday.

### HEARST 80 YEARS OLD

SANTA MONICA, Calif., April 30.—(AP)—William Randolph Hearst publisher of the Hearst newspapers observed his 80th birthday with a dinner party last night in his Santa Monica beach home. Four of the publisher's five sons and a few close friends were his guests. Absent was son Randolph Hearst, abroad with the United States army air forces ferrying command.

## New York Day By Day

By CHARLES B. DRISCOLL
Title Reg. U. S. Patent Office

NEW YORK—A note from Miss Anna Wenzel, of Fitchburg, Mass., reminds me that some owners of cats and dogs already are beginning to dispose of the animals to save food, and some people are apt to put their pets to death in an inhumane manner.

If you must get rid of your pet, call the Humane Society or the ASPCA. These people will do the job in a humane way. Don't murder your pets or any other animal.

And this leads me to a thought developed during my conversation with Howard Kershner, of the Friends Service in Europe. I asked about dogs in France. He said that nearly all dogs and cats have disappeared. The people became so hungry that they killed their pets to save the food. Already, residents of big cities in America are beginning to understand how such a situation could come about.

When I was in Russia ten years after the end of the World War, there were almost no dogs, and the few I saw were starving. And Russia was being ruined by rats and pestilence.

Destroy the dogs and cats, and you make way for plagues. Rats and mice are the old, standard carriers of disease. They increase by billions; they swell like a national budget, when dogs and cats disappear.

We already have influenza, virus pneumonia, meningitis and measles epidemic in this country, and the war is just beginning. Let us, if we can, save our dogs and cats. They will return the favor.

"Gee whillikens!" is a cuss-w[illegible] that I haven't heard in many ye[illegible]

"Dad-burn it!" was a fav[illegible] among the farmers in our neigh[illegible]hood, too, and it seems to have was[illegible] away for lack of exercise.

"Doggone" and "Dog it all" [illegible] prevalent in our country school, "Gol-durn" was especially po[illegible] among the settlers who came [illegible] New England.

My friend, Major Cornelius Vande[illegible]bilt, who, by the way, is improvin[illegible] after long confinement with hea[illegible] trouble in Walter Reed hospital, cal[illegible] any nonsensical or trifling fellow [illegible] shike-poke. That is the name of [illegible] kind of heron, not highly considere[illegible] which inhabits marshes in many pa[illegible] of the country.

Would it be all right with Ma[illegible] Vanderbilt and the heron family [illegible] we were to call Hitler a shike-po[illegible]

A few lines that may give comf[illegible] to some who are in trouble are s[illegible] me by Mr. T. S. Plunket, of Eton, [illegible] in connection with the passing of [illegible] friend and mine, Editor Alfred Jo[illegible] Lengthened breath is not the swe[illegible] gift God sends his friend,
Sometimes the sable pall of [illegible] conceals his fairest boon;
If we could push the gates [illegible] ajar and stand within
And all God's workings see,
We might compose our min[illegible] doubt,
And for each mystery find a[illegible]
The author of the lines is u[illegible] to Mr. Plunket.

Alexander Hermann, magic[illegible] been dead 45 years, I read in [illegible] the magician's magazine. Yet [illegible] day, when you speak of ma[illegible] are apt to think of Hermann[illegible]

(Released by McNaught Syndicate)

## TOLD TO REPLACE CHILDLESS WOR[illegible]

ATLANTA, April 30.—(AP)—[illegible] manufacturers were advised t[illegible] plan for withdrawal and repla[illegible] of single men and married me[illegible] out children, who are betwe[illegible] ages of 18 and 38.

Herman Cone of Greensboro, [illegible] president of the American [illegible] Manufacturers' association, [illegible] speech prepared for the annual [illegible] ing of the group today, said h[illegible] convinced from information at [illegible] that all members should prepar[illegible] placement schedules and file [illegible] with their state selective servic[illegible] ficials.

"In order for the replacement [illegible] schedule to become official, it mu[illegible] be accepted by your state select[illegible] service board and approved by t[illegible] War Manpower commission; therefo[illegible] in filing a schedule, it is sugge[illegible] that some person in authority in y[illegible] organization personally go over [illegible] schedule with your selective ser[illegible] officials.

"The replacement schedule w[illegible] enable you to follow an orderly p[illegible] cedure in employing and training [illegible] placement help."

Cone said the manpower pro[illegible] in cotton mills was becoming inc[illegible] ingly acute daily. At the end of [illegible] the annual turnover of empl[illegible] amounted to nearly 100 per cent, [illegible] said, compared to a rate of 16 [illegible] cent in 1939.

Reporting on production, he sa[illegible] cotton mills consumed an average o[illegible] 953,265 bales of cotton monthly in 1942, compared with 881,963 in 1941 and 614,-156 in 1939.

## FINNISH MINISTER TO FRANCE NAMED

HELSINKI, April 30.—(AP)—Aaro Pakaslahti, secretary general of the foreign office, was appointed Finnis minister to France today and was su[illegible] ceeded at the foreign office by Paav Hynninen, once Finland's envoy to Moscow.

Pakaslahti's transfer, observers said, was calculated to please the United States legation.

(Stockholm dispatches this month said that Pakaslahti was known as strongly pro-German and that he was regarded as the real maker of the policy that has resulted in a steady deterioration of Finnish-American relations.

(The office of secretary general of the foreign office corresponds to that of undersecretary of state in the United States.)

## BIBLE THOUGHT

ev[illegible] Wherefore putting away lying, speak
w[illegible] every man truth with his neighbor; for
E[illegible] we are members one of another.—Ephesians 4:25.

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Think truly, and thy thoughts
Shall the world's famine feed.
Speak truly, and each word of thine
Shall be a fruitful seed.
Live truly, and thy life shall be
A great and noble deed.—Horatius Bonar.

# DR. BARTAK TO PREACH TWICE

## Former Prague Missionary Will Tell Of Experiences In War

The Rev. J. P. Bartak, D. D., superintendent of the Methodist church in Prague, Czecho-Slovakia, and Methodism's oustanding leader in that country, will visit the First Methodist church in Monroe, and the First Methodist church in West Monroe, next Sunday.

He will speak in Monroe at the morning service, at 11:00 o'clock, using as his subject: "Through History to God."

In the evening, at West Monroe, at 8:00 o'clock, his topic will be: "Three Years Under the Nazis."

Dr. Bartak was born in Behemia, but came to America as a young man. He has resided in this country for a number of years, became an American citizen, and was sent as a missionary to his native land after the first world war, when Czecho-Slovakia became an independent republic.

As an enemy alien, he was arrested by the German Gestapo when war with the United States was declared. First he was thrown into prison in Prague, then transferred to Germany as a war prisoners' camp.

He was one of more than 900 American prisoners and refugees from the axis nations exchanged under diplomatic ship "Drottingholm," on June 1942.

# V. TANNER GIVES TALK AT KIWANIS

The West Monroe Kiwanis club was entertained by an address by Rev. Tanner, Assembly of God church pastor, at the meeting held in the First Methodist church Thursday noon.

The speaker was introduced by the club president, Paul Reising and his talk was concerning "Church Month," April being so designated by this club. He said that progress springs from efforts of the church, home, and school, the church leading the movement.

John T. Garrett was introduced as a new member being inducted by George Welch.

The following were named as delegates to the Kiwanis International convention in Chicago in June, Paul Reising, W. R. Younger, C. C. Bell, and Buddy DeLoach.

Announcement was made of the meeting of Kiwanis clubs for a district session at the Frances hotel June 20.


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## FIRST LADY'S

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt has adopted two more wards through the Foster Parents' Plan for War Children. Paulette LeMescam, top, 11-year-old daughter of a Fighting Frenchman, and Rosemary Hayward, six-year-old daughter of a British seaman, are the First Lady's new wards.

## WON'T ENFORCE LAW UNTIL TEST SETTLED

KANSAS CITY, Kas., April 30.—(AP)—Kansas will make no arrests for non-compliance with the state's new labor-union control law until litigation over constitutionality of the statute is settled, says Attorney General A. B. Mitchell.

United States District Judge Richard J. Hopkins yesterday continued until May 17, at Mitchell's request, a hearing on two applications to stay enforcement of the act pending a three-judge decision on its constitutionality. The Kansas City Building and Construction Trades council, A. F. L., and the United Mine Workers of America filed the test suits.

The law would open union financing dues and salaries to public inspection, require union business agents to obtain state licenses, and restrict picketing and strikes.

## CITY COURT

Bernie Wesley, negro, charged with carrying concealed weapons, a knife and a razor, was fined $200 or 200 days in city court here yesterday and was also given an additional 60 days by Judge W. M. Harper for vagrancy.

Irma Lee Burrell and Sam Clark, negroes, were each sentenced to 60 days in jail on theft charges. Robert H. Rowbotham was sentenced to 60 days for vagrancy but the sentence was suspended on the condition that he leave the parish. Henry Lee Wimberly, accused of being habitually drunk and disorderly, also received a 60-day suspended sentence on the condition that he leave the parish.

Roy Byers was sentenced to 60 days for being drunk and disorderly and was also fined $50 or 50 days for damaging the city jail. Police said Byers got a window sash weight out of one of the jail windows and knocked a hole in the wall in a futile attempt to escape after he had been arrested on the drunk charge.

Paul Benson, accused of being habitually drunk and disorderly, was sentenced to 60 days in jail. Marie Davis and Lucille Dunn, negroes, charged with theft, were each fined $25 and costs or 30 days in jail. Guy Norris and Jewel L. Roberts, both accused of being drunk and disorderly, forfeited $7.50 bonds. Four traffic law violators were fined a total of $17.

# POPPY DAY TO BE CELEBRATED

## America's Dead In Two Wars Will Be Remembered On May 1

America's dead of two wars will be honored Saturday when millions of Americans will wear red poppies as a symbol of remembrance and tribute.

Here, as in other cities throughout the country, women of the American Legion auxiliary will be on the streets at an early hour with baskets of poppies. A large corps of volunteer workers has been organized by Miss May Faulk, poppy chairman, to distribute poppies to everyone in the city.

The poppies have been made by disabled war veterans at Alexandria who have been working at their beds and in the hospital work room during the winter and spring. This occupation has helped them pass the long hospital days pleasantly, has enabled them to earn money and has been valuable in promoting recovery.

While distributing the memorial flowers, the auxiliary women will receive contributions for the legion and auxiliary rehabilitation and welfare funds. All of the money contributed will go into these funds, the auxiliary workers serving without pay. Poppy contributions form an important part of the funds which support the vast humanitarian efforts of the legion and auxiliary for the disabled veterans, and children of the dead and disabled of both wars.

More than 13,000,000 poppies were distributed by the auxiliary last year and the number worn tomorrow is expected to be substantially larger. The local auxiliary unit is prepared to supply a poppy to everyone in the city, and believes there will be few who will fail to honor the war dead and aid living war victims by wearing the little red flower of remembrance tomorrow.

In connection with poppy day, Mayor H. H. Benoit has issued the following proclamation:

"Whereas, members of the auxiliary of the L. B. Faulk post of the American Legion wish to aid and assist disabled veterans of World war I and World war II, and widows and children of World war veterans who have answered the last call, and

"Whereas, these poppies are made by our disabled men in our own veterans hospitals, and

"Whereas, they have a great sentimental value for us and are worn as a silent tribute to our boys who died on the battlefields,

"Now, therefore, I, Harvey H. Benoit, mayor of the city of Monroe, La., do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 1, 1943, as Poppy day and urge our citizens to contribute to this worthwhile cause by wearing a veteran-made poppy on next Saturday and help make this drive a success.

"Given under my hand and the seal of the city of Monroe, this 30th day of April, 1943.

"HARVEY H. BENOIT,
"Mayor, City of Monroe."

## SINGING MEET IS SCHEDULED SUNDAY

The first Sunday of the month singing convention will be held at the Missouri Pacific clubhouse, Ouachita avenue, Sunday at 1:30 p.m. All music lovers are invited to attend. A special invitation is given to men in armed service.

R. G. May is president and Mrs. Fred Wilson is secretary of the group.

# 'BUNDLE DAY' FOR SCHOOLS IS ANNOUNCED FOR MONROE

## Clothing For Children, War Victims, Will Be Collected Here

A "Bundle Day" to aid underprivileged children in the United States and child war victims overseas, will be held in the public schools of Monroe, on Monday, May 3, through Friday, May 7, announced Superintendent of Schools E. L. Neville.

According to the leaflet, a copy of which will be given to each pupil to take home, an appeal is being made for used serviceable clothing and shoes in connection with a children's clothing crusade now being conducted by the Save the Children federation all over the United States. The goal of the campaign is a million and a half pounds of clothing by the end of the year. The school systems of 500 communities, including cities, towns, school districts, and counties, have already held Bundle Days or have agreed to participate in the crusade.

Dorothy Canfield Fisher, leader of the children's crusade in 1940, and Dr. John W. Withers, dean emeritus of New York university's school of education, are honorary national advisors of the clothing crusade. A large committee of school superintendents headed by Superintendent H. Claude Hardy of White Plains, N. Y., is sponsoring the movement.

The larger part of the clothing collected will be distributed among needy children in the rural and mountain areas of this country. It is in these sections that the federation has been working for nearly 11 years. Especially in the Appalachian highlands of the south, and more recently in the Ozarks.

Conditions in these sections, according to the Save the Children federation, are notoriously bad. Thousands of children every winter are prevented from going to school because of lack of warm clothing. It is not unusual to see them trudging, scantily clad, over miles of snow-covered mountain roads. Some even without shoes. Schools have had to be closed during the winter months because of lack of attendance. But through the crusade, the federation will endeavor to make it possible for all these children to go to school. At least none will have to remain out of school if they are known to the organization's workers.

"Bundle Days" are also a means of extending valuable aid to children in Great Britain. Thousands of children there, both British and refugee, are seriously in need of warm clothing. Former clothing gifts have worn out, and children, many of them orphans, are suffering from the effects of the war. These facts the federation points out in its plea for all children whom it is trying to help in order that they may be able to face the future with strong healthy bodies and the normal training every child is entitled to.

The proposed "Bundle Day" is considered by the school authorities to be entirely worthy of the support of the community.

### MILLIONS OF JOBS

More than one out of every four new workers in essential war plants in 1942 were hired through the U. S. employment service, which made 10,000,000 placements all told.

# NOMINATION OF ALLRED RAPPED

## Louisiana Bar Head Criticizes Failure To Appoint Louisiana Man

BATON ROUGE, La., April 30.—(AP)—Dedoux R. Provosty, Alexandria, president of the Louisiana State Bar association, today roundly criticized President Roosevelt's failure to appoint a Louisiana man to a vacancy on the Fifth United States circuit court of appeals.

Provosty sharply scored the nomination of former Texas Governor James V. Allred, who later failed to get an approving vote from a senate committee.

He told the Louisiana Bar's annual convention that an independent judiciary cannot continue if judiciary robes are handed out as political rewards to men who have been repudiated by their own constituents."

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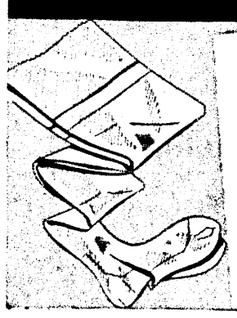

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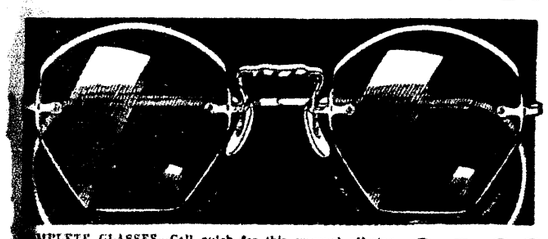

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# DR. BARTAK TO PREACH TWICE

### Former Prague Missionary Will Tell Of Experiences In War

The Rev. J. P. Bartak, D. D., superintendent of the Methodist church in Prague, Czecho-Slovakia, and Methodism's oustanding leader in that country, will visit the First Methodist church in Monroe, and the First Methodist church in West Monroe, next Sunday.

He will speak in Monroe at the morning service, at 11:00 o'clock, using as his subject: "Through History to God."

In the evening, at West Monroe, at 8:00 o'clock, his topic will be: "Three Years Under the Nazis."

Dr. Bartak was born in Behemia, but came to America as a young man. He has resided in this country for a number of years, became an American citizen, and was sent as a missionary to his native land after the first world war, when Czecho-Slovakia became an independent republic.

As an enemy alien, he was arrested by the German Gestapo when war with the United States was declared. First he was thrown into prison in Prague, then transferred to Germany as a war prisoners' camp.

He was one of more than 900 American prisoners and refugees from the Axis nations exchanged under diplomatic ship "Drottingholm," on June 1942.

## V. TANNER GIVES TALK AT KIWANIS

The West Monroe Kiwanis club was entertained by an address by Rev. Tanner, Assembly of God church at the meeting held in the Methodist church Thursday noon.

The speaker was introduced by the club president, Paul Reising and his talk was concerning "Church Month," April being so designated by this club. He said that progress springs from efforts of the church, home, and school, the church leading the movement.

John T. Garrett was introduced as new member being inducted by George Welch.

The following were named as delegates to the Kiwanis International convention in Chicago in June: Paul Reising, W. R. Younger, C. C. Bell, Buddy DeLoach.

Announcement was made of the meeting of Kiwanis clubs for a district session at the Frances hotel 20.


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## FIRST LADY'S

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt has adopted two more wards through the Foster Parents' Plan for War Children. Paulette LeMescam, top, 11-year-old daughter of a Fighting Frenchman, and Rosemary Hayward, six-year-old daughter of a British seaman, are the First Lady's new wards.

## WON'T ENFORCE LAW UNTIL TEST SETTLED

KANSAS CITY, Kas., April 30.—(AP)—Kansas will make no arrests for non-compliance with the state's new labor-union control law until litigation over constitutionality of the statute is settled, says Attorney General A. B. Mitchell.

United States District Judge Richard J. Hopkins yesterday continued until May 17, at Mitchell's request, a hearing on two applications to stay enforcement of the act pending a three-judge decision on its constitutionality. The Kansas City Building and Construction Trades council, A. F. L., and the United Mine Workers of America filed the test suits.

The law would open union financing, dues and salaries to public inspection, require union business agents to obtain state licenses, and restrict picketing and strikes.

## CITY COURT

Remie Wesley, negro, charged with carrying concealed weapons, a knife and a razor, was fined $200 or 200 days in city court here yesterday and was also given an additional 60 days by Judge W. M. Harper for vagrancy.

Irma Lee Burrell and Sam Clark, negroes, were each sentenced to 60 days in jail on theft charges. Robert H. Rowbotham was sentenced to 60 days for vagrancy but the sentence was suspended on the condition that he leave the parish. Henry Lee Wimberly, accused of being habitually drunk and disorderly, also received a 60-day suspended sentence on the condition that he leave the parish.

Roy Byers was sentenced to 60 days for being drunk and disorderly and was also fined $50 or 50 days for damaging the city jail. Police said Byers got a window sash weight out of one of the jail windows and knocked a hole in the wall in a futile attempt to escape after he had been arrested on the drunk charge.

Paul Benson, accused of being habitually drunk and disorderly, was sentenced to 60 days in jail. Marie Davis and Lucille Dunn, negroes, charged with theft, were each fined $25 and costs or 30 days in jail. Guy Norris and Jewel L. Roberts, both accused of being drunk and disorderly, forfeited $7.50 bonds. Four traffic law violators were fined a total of $17.

# POPPY DAY TO BE CELEBRATED

### America's Dead In Two Wars Will Be Remembered On May 1

America's dead of two wars will be honored Saturday when millions of Americans will wear red poppies as a symbol of remembrance and tribute.

Here, as in other cities throughout the country, women of the American Legion auxiliary will be on the streets at an early hour with baskets of poppies. A large corps of volunteer workers has been organized by Miss May Faulk, poppy chairman, to distribute poppies to everyone in the city.

The poppies have been made by disabled war veterans at Alexandria who have been working at their beds and in the hospital work room during the winter and spring. This occupation has helped them pass the long hospital days pleasantly, has enabled them to earn money and has been valuable in promoting recovery.

While distributing the memorial flowers, the auxiliary women will receive contributions for the legion and auxiliary rehabilitation and welfare funds. All of the money contributed will go into these funds, the auxiliary workers serving without pay. Poppy contributions form an important part of the funds which support the vast humanitarian efforts of the legion and auxiliary for the disabled veterans, and children of the dead and disabled of both wars.

More than 13,000,000 poppies were distributed by the auxiliary last year and the number worn tomorrow is expected to be substantially larger. The local auxiliary unit is prepared to supply a poppy to everyone in the city, and believes there will be few who will fail to honor the war dead and aid living war victims by wearing the little red flower of remembrance tomorrow.

In connection with poppy day, Mayor H. H. Benoit has issued the following proclamation:

"Whereas, members of the auxiliary of the L. B. Faulk post of the American Legion wish to aid and assist disabled veterans of World war I and World war II, and widows and children of World war veterans who have answered the last call, and

"Whereas, these poppies are made by our disabled men in our own veterans hospitals, and

"Whereas, they have a great sentimental value for us and are worn as a silent tribute to our boys who died on the battlefields,

"Now, therefore, I, Harvey H. Benoit, mayor of the city of Monroe, La., do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 1, 1943, as Poppy day and urge our citizens to contribute to this worthwhile cause by wearing a veteran-made poppy on next Saturday and help make this drive a success.

"Given under my hand and the seal of the city of Monroe, this 30th day of April, 1943.

"HARVEY H. BENOIT,
"Mayor, City of Monroe."

## SINGING MEET IS SCHEDULED SUNDAY

The first Sunday of the month singing convention will be held at the Missouri Pacific clubhouse, Ouachita avenue, Sunday at 1:30 p.m. All music lovers are invited to attend. A special invitation is given to men in armed service.

R. G. May is president and Mrs. Fred Wilson is secretary of the group.

# 'BUNDLE DAY' FOR SCHOOLS IS ANNOUNCED FOR MONROE

### Clothing For Children, War Victims, Will Be Collected Here

A "Bundle Day" to aid underprivileged children in the United States and child war victims overseas, will be held in the public schools of Monroe, on Monday, May 3, through Friday, May 7, announced Superintendent of Schools E. L. Neville.

According to the leaflet, a copy of which will be given to each pupil to take home, an appeal is being made for used serviceable clothing and shoes in connection with a children's clothing crusade now being conducted by the Save the Children federation all over the United States. The goal of the campaign is a million and a half pounds of clothing by the end of the year. The school systems of 500 communities, including cities, towns, school districts, and counties, have already held Bundle Days or have agreed to participate in the crusade.

Dorothy Canfield Fisher, leader of the children's crusade in 1940, and Dr. John W. Withers, dean emeritus of New York university's school of education, are honorary national advisors of the clothing crusade. A large committee of school superintendents headed by Superintendent H. Claude Hardy of White Plains, N. Y., is sponsoring the movement.

The larger part of the clothing collected will be distributed among needy children in the rural and mountain areas of this country. It is in these sections that the federation has been working for nearly 11 years. Especially in the Appalachian highlands of the south, and more recently in the Ozarks.

Conditions in these sections, according to the Save the Children federation, are notoriously bad. Thousands of children every winter are prevented from going to school because of lack of warm clothing. It is not unusual to see them trudging, scantily clad, over miles of snow-covered mountain roads. Some even without shoes. Schools have had to be closed during the winter months because of lack of attendance. But through the crusade, the federation will endeavor to make it possible for all these children to go to school. At least none will have to remain out of school if they are known to the organization's workers.

"Bundle Days" are also a means of extending valuable aid to children in Great Britain. Thousands of children there, both British and refugee, are seriously in need of warm clothing. Former clothing gifts have worn out, and children, many of them orphans, are suffering from the effects of the war. These facts the federation points out in its plea for all children whom it is trying to help in order that they may be able to face the future with strong healthy bodies and the normal training every child is entitled to.

The proposed "Bundle Day" is considered by the school authorities to be entirely worthy of the support of the community.

### MILLIONS OF JOBS

More than one out of every four new workers in essential war plants in 1942 were hired through the U. S. employment service, which made 10,000,000 placements all told.

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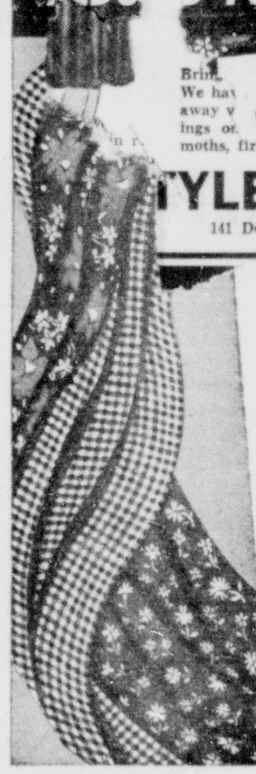
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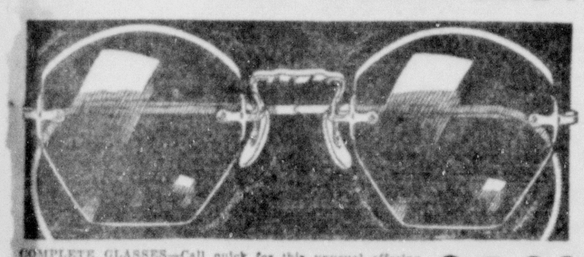
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# LOCAL GROUP ATTENDS MEET

## Monroe District Of Gas Corporation Gets Distinct Honor

Mr. and Mrs. Alston Prophit, Shelby Cage, Frank Reynolds and Scofield Arnold, members of United Gas corporation, returned from Houston this week after attending a managers' meeting of the company at the Rice hotel there on April 19 and 20.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss operating problems and other matters of interest. Among these problems were the manpower shortage and increased demands for service to war industries and war workers' homes. A feature of the meeting was the presentation of gold service pins to employes of the company who have been in the service of the company 25 years and longer. The presentation of the pins was made by Joe H. Gill, president of the company.

Following the presentation, H. P. Carroll, operating manager of the company, of Houston, himself a 25-year employe, proposed the formation of a "25-Year club." The proposal was unanimously accepted and acted upon. It was decided that each year at approximately this time the 25-Year club will meet and initiate new members, who will at the same time receive the gold service pins.

The Monroe district was given an outstanding honor in that it has two members of the "25-Year club," Frank Reynolds and Scofield Arnold (colored). This record was not equalled by any district in the entire system with the exception of the city of Houston.


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# CHANGES MEAT RATION VALUES

## More Points Required For Round Steak And Center Pork Chops

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—The OPA today revised meat ration values, effective Sunday morning, to switch many American appetites from round steak and center pork chops to other cuts, especially spareribs, brains, tongues and pig knuckles. Some people will find more expensive steaks more attractive on a point comparison.

Round steak (both beef and veal) and center pork chops each were raised a point to 9 points per pound. Loin pork roasts, slices of boneless ham steak and beef flank steaks also went up from 8 to 9 points per pound. Round tip beef roasts and veal sirloin or chops went up from 7 to 8 and veal leg roasts stepped up from 6 to 7.

Pork spareribs came down a point from 4 to 3 points per pound, hocks and knuckles from 3 to 2, and most variety meats (brains, sweetbreads, etc.) were reduced a point per pound each. An exception was liver which was unchanged at 6 for beef and 8 for veal. Shank end ham, fresh or ready-to-eat, was cut a point.

An oddity of the new schedule is that, in coupons, round steak becomes more expensive than porterhouse steak, although the latter usually costs about 13 cents per pound more in cash. Persons having more cash than coupons may choose porterhouse, T-bone, sirloin, club and rib steaks at their continuing rate of 8 points per pound (except 10 inch rib which is 7) instead of round steak at 9. End pork chops remain at 7, lamb loin chops at 8, lamb rib chops at 7, and ham butt roasts at 7.

Widely-rumored reductions in luncheon meats, however, failed to materialize. And despite contrary forecasts, beef hamburger did not increase, remaining at 5 points per pound.

The order was the first major change in the scale of meat rations since beef, veal, lamb, mutton and pork were put under rationing on March 29. Minor adjustments in sausage points were the only previous alterations.

The new decree made a few changes in canned fish and cooking oils, but cheese and butter remained at 8 points per pound; lard, margarine and shortening at 5. Salad and cooking oils, however, were reduced from 6 to 5 points a pint (or pound).

Canned sea mussels, which formerly were in a general category requiring 7 points a pound, were cut to 1. Caviar and fish roe came down, too, from 7 to 3 points on a pound basis.

The new point values will be applicable Sunday only to red E and F coupons in the No. 2 ration book. A, B, C and D stamps will expire at midnight tonight (Friday). Blue D, E and F coupons for processed fruits and vegetables also expire tonight, and minor changes in the canned goods point values also may be announced over the week-end.

Since the changes take place during the week-end that bridges the April and May meat stamps, the only valid stamps this Saturday will be the E's, at the rate of 16 points per person. On Sunday, however, the F stamps become valid, along with the E's, which will remain good until the end of the month.

Another change was to exempt from rationing bouillon cubes and meat extracts or concentrates. Canned bulk sausage and canned Vienna sausage came down a point. Permission was granted butchers to include in hamburger "heel of round and skirts" as well as other scraps and discards.

Commenting on the unchanged status of sausage (except minor changes on types containing less than 50 per cent meat), OPA said the overabundance of sausage on the market was due to overproduction and not to abnormally low public demand. A press statement said any cut in sausage point values would merely encourage diversion of regular meat to sausage.

Following is a summary of the changes which appear on the new table, showing old and new point values:

| Commodity. | Points Per Lb. New | Old |
|---|---|---|
| BEEF | | |
| **Steaks** | | |
| Round | 9 | 8 |
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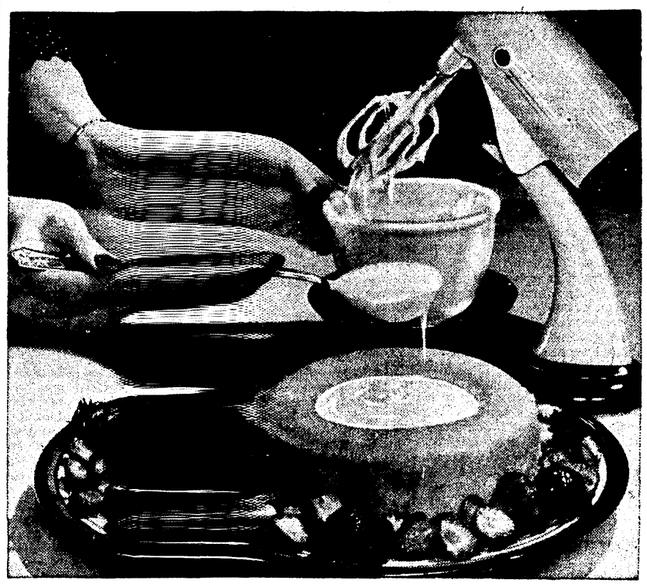

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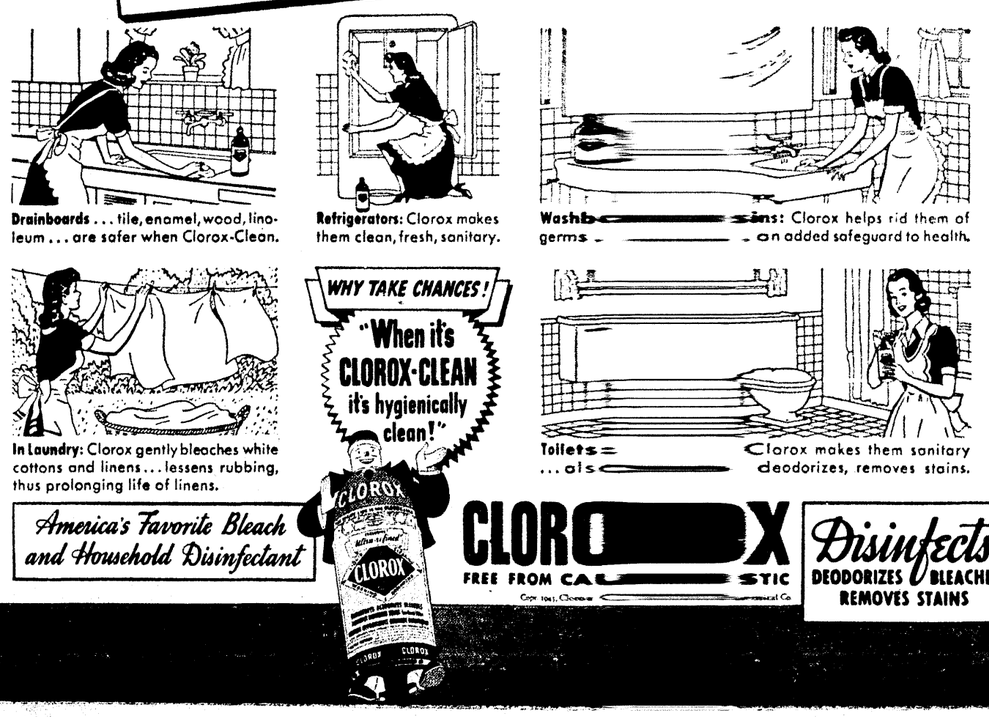
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# LOCAL GROUP ATTENDS MEET

## Monroe District Of Gas Corporation Gets Distinct Honor

Mr. and Mrs. Alston Prophit, Shelby Cage, Frank Reynolds and Scofield Arnold, members of United Gas corporation, returned from Houston this week after attending a managers' meeting of the company at the Rice hotel there on April 19 and 20.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss operating problems and other matters of interest. Among these problems were the manpower shortage and increased demands for service to war industries and war workers' homes. A feature of the meeting was the presentation of gold service pins to employes of the company who have been in the service of the company 25 years and longer. The presentation of the pins was made by Joe H. Gill, president of the company.

Following the presentation, H. P. Carroll, operating manager of the company, of Houston, himself a 25-year employe, proposed the formation of a "25-Year club." The proposal was unanimously accepted and acted upon. It was decided that each year at approximately this time the 25-Year club will meet and initiate new members, who will at the same time receive the gold service pins.

The Monroe district was given an outstanding honor in that it has two members of the "25-Year club," Frank Reynolds and Scofield Arnold (colored). This record was not equalled by any district in the entire system with the exception of the city of Houston.


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# CHANGES MEAT RATION VALUES

## More Points Required For Round Steak And Center Pork Chops

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—The OPA today revised meat ration values, effective Sunday morning, to switch many American appetites from round steak and center pork chops to other cuts, especially spareribs, brains, tongues and pig knuckles. Some people will find more expensive steaks more attractive on a point comparison.

Round steak (both beef and veal) and center pork chops each were raised a point to 9 points per pound. Loin pork roasts, slices of boneless ham steak and beef flank steaks also went up from 8 to 9 points per pound. Round tip beef roasts and veal sirloin or chops went up from 7 to 8 and veal leg roasts stepped up from 6 to 7.

Pork spareribs came down a point from 4 to 3 points per pound, hocks and knuckles from 3 to 2, and most variety meats (brains, sweetbreads, etc.) were reduced a point per pound each. An exception was liver which was unchanged at 6 for beef and 8 for veal. Shank end ham, fresh or ready-to-eat, was cut a point.

An oddity of the new schedule is that, in coupons, round steak becomes more expensive than porterhouse steak, although the latter usually costs about 13 cents per pound more in cash. Persons having more cash than coupons may choose porterhouse, T-bone, sirloin, club and rib steaks at their continuing rate of 8 points per pound (except 10 inch rib which is 7) instead of round steak at 9. End pork chops remain at 7, lamb loin chops at 8, lamb rib chops at 7, and ham butt roasts at 7.

Widely-rumored reductions in luncheon meats, however, failed to materialize. And despite contrary forecasts, beef hamburger did not increase, remaining at 5 points per pound.

The order was the first major change in the scale of meat rations since beef, veal, lamb, mutton and pork were put under rationing on March 29. Minor adjustments in sausage points were the only previous alterations.

The new decree made a few changes in canned fish and cooking oils, but cheese and butter remained at 8 points per pound; lard, margarine and shortening at 5. Salad and cooking oils, however, were reduced from 6 to 5 points a pint (or pound).

Canned sea mussels, which formerly were in a general category requiring 7 points a pound, were cut to 1. Caviar and fish roe came down, too, from 7 to 3 points on a pound basis.

The new point values will be applicable Sunday only to red E and F coupons in the No. 2 ration book. A, B, C and D stamps will expire at midnight tonight (Friday). Blue D, E and F coupons for processed fruits and vegetables also expire tonight, and minor changes in the canned goods point values also may be announced over the week-end.

Since the changes take place during the week-end that bridges the April and May meat stamps, the only valid stamps this Saturday will be the E's, at the rate of 16 points per person. On Sunday, however, the F stamps become valid, along with the E's, which will remain good until the end of the month.

Another change was to exempt from rationing bouillon cubes and meat extracts or concentrates. Canned bulk sausage and canned Vienna sausage came down a point. Permission was granted butchers to include in hamburger "heel of round and skirts" as well as other scraps and discards.

Commenting on the unchanged status of sausage (except minor changes on types containing less than 50 per cent meat), OPA said the overabundance of sausage on the market was due to overproduction and not to abnormally low public demand. A press statement said any cut in sausage point values would merely encourage diversion of regular meat to sausage.

Following is a summary of the changes which appear on the new table, showing old and new point values:

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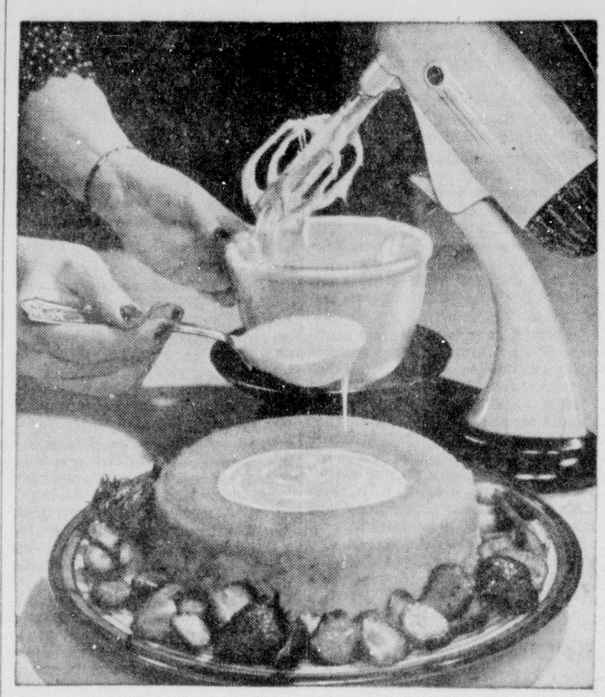

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### Women Are Adapting Themselves To The Shifting Wartime Conditions

It's patriotic to play up the "WAVES," "WAACs," and "SPARS," and the women in war industries, but a word of encouragement now and then is most certainly due the "home guard."

There are plenty of unsung heroines here in the Twin Cities who are now performing glamorous tasks along the home line, sans uniforms, sans press notices. They are adapting themselves to shifting environments and conditions that shape the ever changing job of homemaking and are singing and praying on the job. Many women who have never before performed menial tasks are now bending over cook stoves, sewing machines, washing and ironing and weeding gardens. These women are just as much a part of the picture today as the women in uniform and are just as deserving of praise.

One group of women in particular, members of the Junior Charity league, is carrying on despite fearful odds. Their free baby clinic will be kept open just as long as there is a nurse and a doctor available and free milk can be given undernourished children as long as one drop of this precious liquid can be obtained.

The proceeds from the Junior Charity league Easter ball at Lakeside Country club will help the financial situation for the present. With the exception of the cost of the orchestra every dollar was pure profit. All of the nonessentials were dispensed with and none of them, including the decorations regarded in times past as absolutely necessary, were conspicuous by their absence.

During an intermission a war bond was put up for sale and purchased by Lieutenant William Taylor.

Other league members serving on the various committees were: Mrs. Foster Wallace, president, and Mrs. Henry Biedenharn, Mrs. Darwin Nichols, Mrs. Charles Moody, Mrs. George Weaks, Mrs. William Adams, Mrs. Lockett Breland, and Mrs. Billy Green Haynes.

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One of the loveliest affairs of the season in Mer Rouge was the buffet supper in the A. H. Davenport home Saturday evening honoring Miss Eleanor Davenport's charming house guest, Miss Bea Phillips of Paducah, Ky. Easter lilies formed the decor of the long buffet table. The hostesses, Mesdames G. D. Bacon and C. C. Davenport with accustomed grace received the guests, Misses Mary Ann and Sybil Ogden, June Bacon, Dorothy Willey, Mary Pipes, Eleanor Davenport and the honoree, and Messrs. Joe B. Williams, William Wilson, Charles Tallman, Marvin Clark, Jr., Morgan Jones, Jr., of Jackson, John E. Blanchard of Epps, and Lloyd Lenard of Monroe.

A warning against political appointees representing the United States at the peace table has been sounded by Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, president of the General Federation of Women's clubs.

"We do not want a peace at any price," says Mrs. Whitehurst. "Therefore there should be at the peace table only those with a background knowledge of the foreign relations of the various countries concerned prior to World war II. A woman's viewpoint is also necessary. Women suffer the most poignant grief from war, also they are purchasers of 85 per cent of the consumer products in this country. It is the desire of the club women that a woman from the United States be appointed to sit at the peace table.

"Twice within one generation the people have given their sons and natural resources in a world war. Now we want a lasting peace, one worked out after careful study and developed through an intelligent public opinion created by the people of the United Nations. An intelligent public opinion must be based on an understanding of: Why the peace failed after World war I; our foreign relations preceding World war II; the objectives and aims of the United Nations; and a thorough knowledge of all important peace proposals now outlined for our people."

In warning club women against the endorsement of handmade peace plans at this time, Mrs. Whitehurst says, "Propagandists are using considerable pressure on private organizations, state legislatures and individuals to gain endorsement for their own pet plans. Do not succumb to this pressure. A careful study must be made and I am convinced that the women of our country have not made such a study."

To help the women develop an intelligent understanding, Mrs. Whitehurst has written a handbook, in the form of a quiz, for use in club meetings, round tables and forums, and for individual study.

Lieutenant Hilton Johnson and Mrs. Johnson, who have been residing in Santa Fe, N. M., where the lieutenant has been stationed, will arrive Saturday for a 10-day visit with the lieutenant's mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Gafford.

Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. H. L. Caveness is now convalescing nicely from an automobile accident last February.


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# Dorothy Dix:

## Sin Old as Earth, Girl Must Be Good To Be Up-To-Date

### *Virtue, Modesty, High Principles Command Respect of Lowest Man These Times*

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: I have a very attractive and beautiful daughter who has had a good environment all her life and devoted parents, yet she does things and has ideas that distress her father and me very much. She resents our every attempt to control her and calls us "old-fashioned" when we try to keep her from doing things of which we disapprove, such as frequenting the apartment of two young men. I tell her that can lead to no good, and her answer is: "Oh, for Heaven's sake, Mother, can't you come up-to-date?" What can I do about it?

MOTHER

DOROTHY DIX

SIN AS OLD AS MAN

ANSWER: You might tell your daughter that it isn't virtue and decency that are old-fashioned. It is wrong-doing. There hasn't been a new sin invented since the apple eating incident in the Garden of Eden, and it would be amusing, if it were not so tragic, that the young people of today think that they are the first people in all the history of the world who ever strayed off of the straight and narrow path.

Everybody has always been doing it. There isn't a "frank" sex novel, hot from the press, whose plot isn't foreshadowed in the Ten Commandments, nor a vice that wasn't old when its warnings were thundered from Sinai. So why the youngsters think themselves so much more progressive and adventurous and sophisticated than their elders because they break the laws of God and man, and defy conventions and covet their neighbors' wives and have liaisons, is hard to say. It is all old stuff.

Girls think they show how ultra modern they are when they boast about how many cocktails they can drink and about getting lit up like a Christmas tree at a party, but there is nothing new in a drunken woman. Generation after generation has seen the pobr, blear-eyed, straggle-haired, frousy creatures, stumbling along the streets muttering to themselves, or lying in the gutter.

Girls think they show how adventurous and high-spirited they are when they throw their caps over the windmill and have affairs with married men and other men who can't, or won't, marry them. But there is nothing new in adultery. Prostitution is called the oldest profession in the world.

Girls think it is so modern to indulge in heavy petting parties, and go to men's rooms, and off on week-ends with them. But there have always been girls who didn't count the cost of their fun. The woods are full of old maids who were good-time-Sallies whom men kissed but never married.

No. There is nothing new about sin. It is wrong-doing that is old-fashioned. Nothing has changed about that in all the ages. Nor has the price ticket on it been altered. Especially for women. They still have to pay, and pay, and pay, in shattered health, in lost reputations, often in heartbreak and shame.

It is goodness, it is virtue, it is modesty, it is high principles that command the respect and admiration of even the lowest man in the world that are new-fashioned. Let's hope that the modern girl will see that she has to be good to be up-to-date.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: I have a guaranteed cure for lonely, nervous, neurotic women. It is getting out on a farm. I've tried it and I know it works. I was a business woman and I got tired of sitting at a desk, ruining my eyesight, my digestion and my disposition, and I gave up my job and got a place as housekeeper in the country. I gave up drugstore meals; no time for myself except Sundays, which I had to spend on hair, nails and wardrobe to keep myself presentable; no money at the end of the week because of the high cost of living, a hall bedroom in which I didn't even have space in which to change my mind.

In place of these advantages I got good food—fresh eggs, butter and milk and vegetables, a big room, and incidentally the best husband a woman could ask for. This latter I do not guarantee. But, after all, the farmer is one of the few men in these days who can afford to marry.

Of course, the work is hard. I wash, clean, scrub, milk, churn, cook, wash dishes, help take care of the stock, but I do it when I want to, and working with cows, pigs and chickens is a thousand times more interesting than hammering at an inanimate typewriter.

There is a great and growing need for women on farms, and I believe that if more women realized the compensation they would get they would be willing to give up town jobs and get out into God's great, good outdoors, where their efforts in raising food would be the best war work they could do.

MRS. C. P. H.

FARM LIFE SEEMS HEAVENLY NOW

ANSWER: After reading this glowing bit of propaganda, what woman will be able to resist kicking over her office chair and grabbing her hat and making for the country? And especially will its appeal hit us where we live, in these days when rationed food and having to wrestle with points every time we go into a grocery have taken all the joy out of life and is fast driving us to the insane asylum or suicide.

Just think of the joy of being able to have all the milk and butter and chickens and eggs you can eat, with never a can in sight! And the chances of a good husband thrown in for lagniappe, as we say in New Orleans! It sounds like Heaven on earth.

But my correspondent says that she milks the cows and feeds the pigs just when she feels like doing it. If such as the case, I can only say that the habits of these animals have changed since the days when I lived on a farm. Then they were as importune about having their needs attended to as a $10-a-day boarder, and if old bossy wasn't milked on the dot and piggy-wiggles' meals were ten minutes late, they would raise ructions over the kind of service you gave them.

However, I am strong for the back-to-the-farm movement for women. It is a grand life, if you don't weaken.

DEAR MISS DIX: I am a married girl, working in an office with two other girls. My employer, a married man, often asks me to lunch and to let him take me home in his car. Should I accept his invitations?

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ANSWER: Not unless you are looking for trouble. Buy your own sandwich and hop a bus. It is safer.

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# Society Calendar

**Saturday**

Meeting of Atheneum club with Mrs. A. L. Dickerson. Mrs. Agnes Dickerson, co-hostess. 3 p.m.

**Sunday**

Annual showing of portraits by Betty Saenger at her home, 2207 Marie place. The public is invited. 4 to 7 p.m.

**Monday**

Meeting of the Literary Guild with Mrs. Joe Durrett. Mrs. A. O. Easterling, co-hostess. 2:30 p.m.

Red Cross canteen class, Red Cross headquarters, 2 p.m., Miss Katherine Broadway, instructor.

Meeting of Welcome Branch Garden club West Monroe Baptist church annex Pine street, West Monroe, 9:30 a.m. Film—"Roses at Home."

Circle 3 of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Stone Avenue Methodist church, will meet Monday evening at 7:45, meeting with Mrs. M. B. Hearne.

Dramatic Order Knights Khorrasan, El Miro temple No. 187, will meet at Pythian hall, Monday at 8 p.m. All members urged to attend.

Meeting of Louise McGuire chapter O. E. S. 8 p.m.

**Tuesday**

Meeting of Catholic Ladies' Altar society with Mrs. Virginia Elias, 503 Erin. 3 p.m.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society, Church of the Nazarene, will hold their regular business meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. H. T. Wood, 3524 Lee avenue.

Business meeting of the Baptist Missionary society at the church. 2:30 p.m.

Business meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the First Methodist church, 3 p.m.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Stone Avenue Methodist church will meet at 2:30. Circle 1 meeting with Mrs. J. E. Zufall, and circle 2 with Mrs. J. T. Deal.

Program meeting of Business and Professional Women's club scheduled Tuesday, April 27, has been postponed because of state events until the above date.

Meeting of Temple Sisterhood. 2:30 p.m.

**Wednesday**

Meeting of Current Literature club with Mrs. Louis Peters. Mrs. R. L. Conway and Mrs. W. Whitfield, co-hostesses. 2:30 p.m.

**Thursday, May 6th**

The Y. W. C. A. board will meet at the "Y" at 10:00 a. m.

The Young Women's Christian Association is extending an invitation to all of its members, to the business girls, to the Girl Reserves and their mothers, to the women who are newcomers to Monroe, and to all those women who are interested in the work and program of the association to attend their annual "open house" for the purpose of "getting acquainted" with this great program and with each other. This meeting will be held at the "Y" on Thursday from 5:00 p. m. to 7:00 p. m.

The regular monthly meeting of the Fairbanks Home Demonstration club was held at the home of Mrs. E. J. Sackett, with Mrs. F. B. Shipp, Mrs. E. V. Inabnet and Mrs. E. H. Johnson as co-hostess.

Mrs. Fred Wilson, president, presided during the business session, at which time routine reports were offered by committee chairmen.

Mrs. Jewel McQuiller, and Mrs. F. B. Shipp presented the interesting program on nutrition.

Timely information on economics was given by Mrs. E. O. Hinton.

Members attending were Mesdames Bradford, Gates, Gunther, Harrison, Hinton, Johnson, McGough, Sackett, Spence, Shipp, Stutz, Welch, Wilson, Worley, Wyatt, Rowe, Inabnet, Walters, Woods, Scott, Nortan, Edgar Kennedy and Miss Anna Johnson.

Ginger Donald, daughter of Sergeant and Mrs. Sam Donald, Jr., celebrated her birthday anniversary by inviting her young friends to share the pleasures of the day with her.

Each guest upon arrival was presented with a gayly colored basket and invited to search for Easter eggs hidden on the lawn. Later in the afternoon ices and individual birthday cakes, beautifully embossed, were served.

Wishing Ginger "Happy Birthday" were: Peggy Fairchild, Betty Larche, Constance Keller, Marjorie Gilstrop, Tommie Whitfield, Gail Gilliland, Sue Grower, Sharon Jean Mann, Martha Ann Lafferty, Ann Duncan, Gail Jones, Bobbielea Evans, Coralie Heard, Billy King, Kenny Renwick, James Woods, Richard Smith, Robbie Larkan, Mickey Larkan, Herbie Ryland, Jr., George Baker, Allen Foster, Bobbie Duncan and James Green.

Mrs. Joseph P. Brown, chairman of the Red Cross surgical dressing, states that, due to the lack of interest on the part of the wives of cadets the unit meeting at the American Legion home each Monday has been discontinued. Those who gave their services will continue to work with other units.

Friends will regret to learn that Mr. J. R. Wooten is a patient in St. Francis sanitarium.

Word has just been received that Thomas Wyatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wyatt, has just been commissioned first lieutenant with the United States marines air corps, "somewhere in the Pacific."

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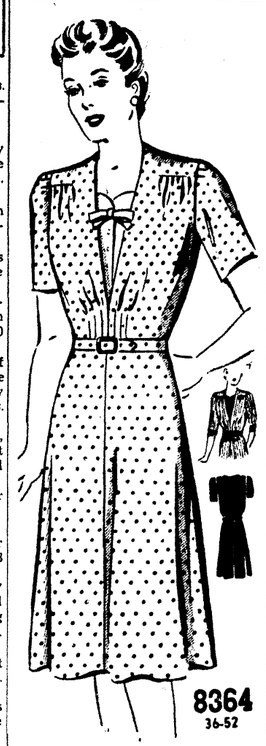


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# Bonita

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cotten and little daughter spent the Easter holidays in Harrisonburg with Mrs. Cotten's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beasley.

Mrs. Ernest Terry and daughter, Suzanna, of Bastrop were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Robertson recently.

Misses Annie and Ruby Herrod, Stellaphene Glossup and Orleen Mitch, all employed by the government in Washington, were recent visitors to their homes here.

Miss Frances Anderson, of Alexandria, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Anderson.

Miss Alma Lee Huff, from Louisiana Tech, spent a short vacation with her parents. Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Huff.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Young and family visited his mother, Mrs. Carrie Young recently.

Mrs. Arline Huff is attending the Louisiana conference of Social Welfare in Monroe this week.

Misses Virginia Harp and Elaine Shear of L. S. U., spent the holidays at home.

Private Robert Huff, United States marine, is now overseas according to word received by his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Huff.

Miss Mary Elizabeth McDowell, who holds a secretarial position in Little Rock, was home over the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. McDowell.

J. A. Ginn has returned from a visit with relatives in Little Rock.

Mrs. Charlie Hope of Oak Grove spent a week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Sawyer and son of Tallulah and Mr. and Mrs. Green Renfrow of Monroe were guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Buatt, at Easter.

Lieutenant Lloyd Newton Boone of Camp Shelby, Miss visited his mother, Mrs. Erma Boone, recently.

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shower, 111 Ludwig street, West Monroe, announce the birth of a daughter at the Wright-Bendel clinic on April 29.

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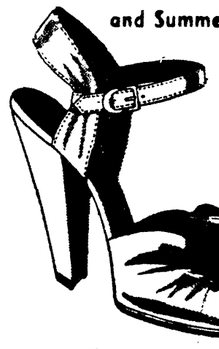

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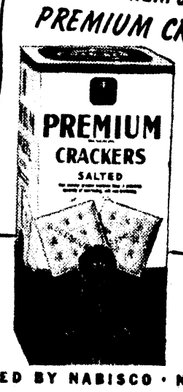


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## Women Of Monroe Tend Home Fires

### Women Are Adapting Themselves To The Shifting Wartime Conditions

It's patriotic to play up the "WAVES," "WAACs," and SPARS," and the women in war industries, but a word of encouragement now and then is most certainly due the "home guard."

There are plenty of unsung heroines here in the Twin Cities who are now performing unglamorous tasks along the home line, sans uniforms, sans press notices. They are adapting themselves to shifting environments and conditions that shape the ever changing job of homemaking and are singing and praying on the job. Many women who have never before performed menial tasks are now bending over cook stoves, sewing machines, washing and ironing and weeding gardens. These women are just as much a part of the picture today as the women in uniform and are just as deserving of praise.

One group of women in particular, members of the Junior Charity league, are carrying on despite fearful odds. Their free baby clinic will be kept open just as long as there is a nurse and a doctor available and free milk can be given undernourished children as long as one drop of this prescribed liquid can be obtained.

The proceeds from the Junior Charity league Easter ball at Lakeside country club will help the financial situation for the present. With the exception of the cost of the orchestra every dollar was pure profit. All of the nonessentials were dispensed with and none of them, including the decorations regarded in times past as absolutely necessary, were conspicuous by their absence.

During an intermission a war bond was put up for sale and purchased by Lieutenant William Taylor.

League members serving on the various committees were: Mrs. Foster Wallace, president, and Mrs. Henry Pickle, Mrs. Darwin Nichols, Mrs. Charles Moody, Mrs. George Weaks, Mrs. William Adams, Mrs. Lockett Pickand, Mrs. Billy Green Haynes, Mrs. Joy Steele Lewis, Mrs. Joseph Goyne, Mrs. Louis Turner, Mrs. Charles Womack, Mrs. James Cox, Mrs. Walker Glenn, Jr., Mrs. James Harris, Mrs. A. J. Emerson, Mrs. Glen Pace, Jr., Mrs. William Connor, Mrs. Guy Campbell, Mrs. A. J. McGinn, Mrs. Ray Rhymes, Mrs. Amos Smelser, Mrs. Fred Ammon, Miss Annie Laurie Breard, Miss Nan Buckner, Miss Marjorie Farmer, Miss Carrie Jo Hill, Miss Robertine Rhymes, Miss Dorothy Graves, Miss Sara Cole Morrison, Miss Virginia Earle Kersh, Miss Lallage Feazel, Mrs. James Cox, Mrs. "Skeeter" Morgan, Mrs. Owen McClary, Mrs. Brewer Godfrey, Miss Beverly Russell.

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First of these is the buffet luncheon on Monday at 1 o'clock at the Faculty club. This will follow a morning business session at the nearby law school on the campus, and in turn will be followed by a second business meeting. In the late afternoon there will be a garden party for the auxiliary at Mrs. Cecil Lorio's home on Dalrymple drive.

At 9 o'clock Monday evening Governor and Mrs. Jones with Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Frazar of DeRidder will entertain at a reception at the executive mansion for all those attending the medical convention and the auxiliary meeting.

Mrs. Arthur D. Long is general chairman for the auxiliary convention with Mrs. Rhett McMahon vice-chairman. Registration will be at 8:30 o'clock on the first floor of the Heidelberg hotel.

The morning business session will be at 9:30 o'clock at the law school and although only members of the executive board will vote during the session, all auxiliary members are invited.

One of the loveliest affairs of the Easter season in Mer Rouge was the buffet supper in the A. H. Davenport home Saturday evening honoring Miss Eleanor Davenport's charming house guest, Miss Bea Phillips of Paducah, Ky. Ester lilies formed the decor of the long buffet table. The hostesses, Mesdames G. D. Bacon and C. C. Davenport with accustomed grace received the guests, Misses Mary Ann and Sybil Ogden, June Bacon, Dorothy Willey, Mary Pipes, Eleanor Davenport and the honoree, and Messrs. Joe B. Williams, William Wilson, Charles Tallman, Marvin Clark, Jr., Morgan Jones, Jr., of Jackson, John E. Blanchard of Epps, and Lloyd Lenard of Monroe.

A warning against political appointees representing the United States at the peace table has been sounded by Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, president of the General Federation of Women's clubs.

"We do not want a peace at any price," says Mrs. Whitehurst. "Therefore there should be at the peace table only those with a background knowledge of the foreign relations of the various countries concerned prior to World war II. A woman's viewpoint is also necessary. Women suffer the most poignant grief from war, also they are purchasers of 85 per cent of the consumer products in this country. It is the desire of the club women that a woman from the United States be appointed to sit at the peace table.

"Twice within one generation the people have given their sons and natural resources in a world war. Now we want a lasting peace, one worked out after careful study and developed through an intelligent public opinion created by the people of the United Nations. An intelligent public opinion must be based on an understanding of: Why the peace failed after World war I; our foreign relations preceding World war II; the objectives and aims of the United Nations; and a thorough knowledge of all important peace proposals now outlined for our people."

In warning club women against the endorsement of handmade peace plans at this time, Mrs. Whitehurst says, "Propagandists are using considerable pressure on private organizations, state legislatures and individuals to gain endorsement for their own pet plans. Do not succumb to this pressure. A careful study must be made and I am convinced that the women of our country have not made such a study."

To help the women develop an intelligent understanding, Mrs. Whitehurst has written a handbook, in the form of a quiz, for use in club meetings, round tables and forums, and for individual study.

Lieutenant Hilton Johnson and Mrs. Johnson, who have been residing in Santa Fe, N. M., where the lieutenant has been stationed, will arrive Saturday for a 10-day visit with the lieutenant's mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Gafford.

Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. H. L. Caveness is now convalescing nicely from an automobile accident last February.

## Dorothy Dix:

### Sin Old as Earth, Girl Must Be Good To Be Up-To-Date

*Virtue, Modesty, High Principles Command Respect of Lowest Man These Times*

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: I have a very attractive and beautiful daughter who has had a good environment all her life and devoted parents, yet she does things and has idsas that distress her father and me very much. She resents our every attempt to control her and calls us "old-fashioned" when we try to keep her from doing things of which we disapprove, such as frequenting the apartment of two young men. I tell her that can lead to no good, and her answer is: "Oh, for Heaven's sake, Mother, can't you come up-to-date?" What can I do about it?

MOTHER

DOROTHY DIX

SIN AS OLD AS MAN

ANSWER: You might tell your daughter that it isn't virtue and decency that are old-fashioned. It is wrong-doing. There hasn't been a new sin invented since the apple eating incident in the Garden of Eden, and it would be amusing, if it were not so tragic, that the young people of today think that they are the first people in all the history of the world who ever strayed off of the straight and narrow path.

Everybody has always been doing it. There isn't a "frank" sex novel, hot from the press, whose plot isn't foreshadowed in the Ten Commandments, nor a vice that wasn't old when its warnings were thundered from Sinai. So why the youngsters think themselves so much more progressive and adventurous and sophisticated than their elders because they break the laws of God and man, and defy conventions and covet their neighbors' wives and have liaisons, is hard to say. It is all old stuff.

Girls think they show how ultra modern they are when they boast about how many cocktails they can drink and about getting lit up like a Christmas tree at a party, but there is nothing new in a drunken woman. Generation after generation has seen the poor, blear-eyed, straggle-haired, frousy creatures, stumbling along the streets muttering to themselves, or lying in the gutter.

Girls think they show how adventurous and high-spirited they are when they throw their caps over the windmill and have affairs with married men and other men who can't, or won't, marry them. But there is nothing new in adultery. Prostitution is called the oldest profession in the world.

Girls think it is so modern to indulge in heavy petting parties, and go to men's rooms, and off on week-ends with them. But there have always been girls who didn't count the cost of their fun. The woods are full of old maids who were good-time-Sallies whom men kissed but never married.

No. There is nothing new about sin. It is wrong-doing that is old-fashioned. Nothing has changed about that in all the ages. Nor has the price ticket on it been altered. Especially for women. They still have to pay, and pay, and pay, in shattered health, in lost reputations, often in heartbreak and shame.

It is goodness, it is virtue, it is modesty, it is high principles that command the respect and admiration of even the lowest man in the world that are new-fashioned. Let's hope that the modern girl will see that she has to be good to be up-to-date.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: I have a guaranteed cure for lonely, nervous, neurotic women. It is getting out on a farm. I've tried it and I know it works. I was a business woman and I got tired of sitting at a desk, ruining my eyesight, my digestion and my disposition, and I gave up my job and got a place as housekeeper in the country. I gave up drugstore meals; no time for myself except Sundays, which I had to spend on hair, nails and wardrobe to keep myself presentable; no money at the end of the week because of the high cost of living, a hall bedroom in which I didn't even have space in which to change my mind.

In place of these advantages I got good food—fresh eggs, butter and milk and vegetables, a big room, and incidentally the best husband a woman could ask for. This latter I do not guarantee. But, after all, the farmer is one of the few men in these days who can afford to marry.

Of course, the work is hard. I wash, clean, scrub, milk, churn, cook, wash dishes, help take care of the stock, but I do it when I want to, and working with cows, pigs and chickens is a thousand times more interesting than hammering at an inanimate typewriter.

There is a great and growing need for women on farms, and I believe that if more women realized the compensation they would get they would be willing to give up town jobs and get out into God's great, good outdoors, where their efforts in raising food would be the best war work they could do.

MRS. C. P. H.

FARM LIFE SEEMS HEAVENLY NOW

ANSWER: After reading this glowing bit of propaganda, what woman will be able to resist kicking over her office chair and grabbing her hat and making for the country? And especially will its appeal hit us where we live, in these days when rationed food and having to wrestle with points every time we go into a grocery have taken all the joy out of life and is fast driving us to the insane asylum or suicide.

Just think of the joy of being able to have all the milk and butter and chickens and eggs you can eat, with never a can in sight! And the chances of a good husband thrown in for lagniappe, as we say in New Orleans! It sounds like Heaven on earth.

But my correspondent says that she milks the cows and feeds the pigs just when she feels like doing it. If such as the case, I can only say that the habits of these animals have changed since the days when I lived on a farm. Then they were as importune about having their needs attended to as a $10-a-day boarder, and if old bossy wasn't milked on the dot and piggy-wiggles' meals were ten minutes late, they would raise ructions over the kind of service you gave them.

However, I am strong for the back-to-the-farm movement for women. It is a grand life, if you don't weaken.

DEAR MISS DIX: I am a married girl, working in an office with two other girls. My employer, a married man, often asks me to lunch and to let him take me home in his car. Should I accept his invitations?

PERPLEXED

ANSWER: Not unless you are looking for trouble. Buy your own sandwich and hop a bus. It is safer.

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## Society Calendar

**Saturday**

Meeting of Atheneum club with Mrs. A. L. Dickerson. Mrs. Agnes Dickerson, co-hostess. 3 p.m.

**Sunday**

Annual showing of portraits by Betty Saenger at her home, 2207 Marie place. The public is invited. 4 to 7 p.m.

**Monday**

Meeting of the Literary Guild with Mrs. Joe Durrett. Mrs. A. O. Easterling, co-hostess. 2:30 p.m.

Red Cross canteen class, Red Cross headquarters, 2 p.m., Miss Katherine Broadway, instructor.

Meeting of Welcome Branch Garden club West Monroe Baptist church annex Pine street, West Monroe, 9:30 a.m. Film—"Roses at Home."

Circle 3 of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Stone Avenue Methodist church, will meet Monday evening at 7:45, meeting with Mrs. M. B. Hearne.

Dramatic Order Knights Khorrasan, El Miro temple No. 187, will meet at Pythian hall, Monday at 8 p.m. All members urged to attend.

Meeting of Louise McGuire chapter O. E. S. 8 p.m.

**Tuesday**

Meeting of Catholic Ladies' Altar society with Mrs. Virginia Elias, 503 Erin. 3 p.m.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society, Church of the Nazarene, will hold their regular business meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. H. T. Wood, 3524 Lee avenue.

Business meeting of the Baptist Missionary society at the church. 2:30 p.m.

Business meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the First Methodist church. 3 p.m.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Stone Avenue Methodist church will meet at 2:30. Circle 1 meeting with Mrs. J. E. Zufall, and circle 2 with Mrs. J. T. Deal.

Program meeting of Business and Professional Women's club scheduled Tuesday, April 27, has been postponed because of state events until the above date.

Meeting of Temple Sisterhood. 2:30 p.m.

**Wednesday**

Meeting of Current Literature club with Mrs. Louis Peters. Mrs. R. L. Conway and Mrs. W. Whitfield, co-hostesses. 2:30 p.m.

**Thursday, May 6th**

The Y. W. C. A. board will meet at the "Y" at 10:00 a. m.

The Young Women's Christian Association is extending an invitation to all of its members, to the business girls, to the Girl Reserves and their mothers, to the women who are newcomers to Monroe, and to all those women who are interested in the work and program of the association to attend their annual "open house" for the purpose of "getting acquainted" with this great program and with each other. This meeting will be held at the "Y" on Thursday from 5:00 p. m. to 7:00 p. m.

The regular monthly meeting of the Fairbanks Home Demonstration club was held at the home of Mrs. E. J. Sackett, with Mrs. F. B. Shipp, Mrs. E. V. Inabnet and Mrs. E. H. Johnson as co-hostess.

Mrs. Fred Wilson, president, presided during the business session, at which time routine reports were offered by committee chairmen.

Mrs. Jewel McQuiller, and Mrs. F. B. Shipp presented the interesting program on nutrition.

Timely information on economics was given by Mrs. E. O. Hinton.

Members attending were Mesdames Bradford, Gates, Gunther, Harrison, Hinton, Johnson, McGough, Sackett, Spence, Shipp, Stutz, Welch, Wilson, Worley, Wyatt, Rowe, Inabnet, Walters, Woods, Scott, Nortan, Edgar Kennedy and Miss Anna Johnson.

Ginger Donald, daughter of Sergeant and Mrs. Sam Donald, Jr., celebrated her birthday anniversary by inviting her young friends to share the pleasures of the day with her.

Each guest upon arrival was presented with a gayly colored basket and invited to search for Easter eggs hidden on the lawn. Later in the afternoon ices and individual birthday cakes, beautifully embossed, were served.

Wishing Ginger "Happy Birthday" were: Peggy Fairchild, Betty Larche, Constance Keller, Marjorie Gilstrop, Tommie Whitfield, Gail Gilliland, Sue Grower, Sharon Jean Mann, Martha Ann Lafferty, Ann Duncan, Gail Jones, Bobbielea Evans, Coralie Heard, Billy King, Kenny Renwick, James Woods, Richard Smith, Robbie Larkan, Mickey Larkan, Herbie Ryland, Jr., George Baker, Allen Foster, Bobbie Duncan and James Green.

Mrs. Joseph P. Brown, chairman of the Red Cross surgical dressing, states that, due to the lack of interest on the part of the wives of cadets the unit meeting at the American Legion home each Monday has been discontinued. Those who gave their services will continue to work with other units.

Friends will regret to learn that Mr. J. R. Wooten is a patient in St. Francis sanitarium.

Word has just been received that Thomas Wyatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wyatt, has just been commissioned first lieutenant with the United States marines air corps, "somewhere in the Pacific."

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## Bonita

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cotten and little daughter spent the Easter holidays in Harrisonburg with Mrs. Cotten's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beasley.

Mrs. Ernest Terry and daughter, Suzanna, of Bastrop were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Robertson recently.

Misses Annie and Ruby Herrod, Stellaphene Glossup and Orleen Mitch, all employed by the government in Washington, were recent visitors to their homes here.

Miss Frances Anderson, of Alexandria, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Anderson.

Miss Alma Lee Huff, from Louisiana Tech, spent a short vacation with her parents. Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Huff.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Young and family visited his mother, Mrs. Carrie Young recently.

Mrs. Arline Huff is attending the Louisiana conference of Social Welfare in Monroe this week.

Misses Virginia Harp and Elaine Shear of L. S. U., spent the holidays at home.

Private Robert Huff, United States marine, is now overseas according to word received by his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Huff.

Miss Mary Elizabeth McDowell, who holds a secretarial position in Little Rock, was home over the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. McDowell.

J. A. Ginn has returned from a visit with relatives in Little Rock.

Mrs. Charlie Hope of Oak Grove spent a week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Sawyer and son of Tallulah and Mr. and Mrs. Green Renfrow of Monroe were guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Buatt, at Easter.

Lieutenant Lloyd Newton Boone of Camp Shelby, Miss visited his mother, Mrs. Erma Boone, recently.

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shower, 111 Ludwig street, West Monroe, announce the birth of a daughter at the Wright-Bendel clinic on April 29.

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### Ocean Wave Chief Threat To Favorite; Seven Hearts 'In And Out'

By Sid Feder

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 30.—(AP)—This strangest of all Kentucky Derbies came up with a new wacky wrinkle today as Count Fleet and 11 other three-year-olds were entered to run the mile and a quarter tomorrow for a necklace of roses worth $60,725.

Topping off such developments as a shadow of doubt surrounding the highly regarded Ocean Wave's chances of getting to the post and Derbytown almost wierdly empty of the usual mobs of noisy, jostling out-of-town celebrants, the new touch of confusion popped up today when a "mysterious" entry blank showed up and then had to be "lost" again.

This was a blank made out in the name of Seven Hearts, the horse with the ailing foot from the barn of J. Graham Brown, local hotel man. When the entry box closed, only 12 horses were supposed to be nominated to start in the big race at traditional Churchill Downs at 5:30 p.m. (central war time) tomorrow. Then, in the draw for post positions, the slip for "Mr. Double-and-Redouble" was discovered and after he drew a lane it was withdrawn again because his trainer didn't know a thing about it.

As if that wasn't enough to get the folks—some 50,000 of whom are expected to sit in on this "street car" derby—riding the merry-go-round again, Derbyville itself presented a picture that looked as much like the annual madhouse as Beethoven resembles jive.

Under its pledge to the war effort to have only fans from greater Louisville in for this year's shindig, the 'Downs' customary jam-session of 85,000 or 90,000 cash customers will be slicked almost in half. Food prices have been "frozen" so that you don't have to pay for a side of beef in order to buy a hamburger this year.

Naturally, it is almost unanimously agreed that Count Fleet, a tall, rangy brown lightning streak carrying the canary and black silks of Mrs. John D. Hertz of the Chicago U-Drive Yellow taxicabs hertzes, is a simple cakewalk for the big pot.

World-record maker at two, the Hertz Hurricane was installed as the shortest priced future-book favorite in all derby history, and he has lived up to that ranking in his two starts so far this spring, romping to two triumphs at Jamacia as easily as eating his oats. The result has been that his odds have dropped almost weekly, until they've hit rock-bottom 1 to 2 right now.

Up to two weeks ago, there wasn't even an arm-chair handicapper brave enough to pick against him for tomorrow's May Day brawl, but in the past 11 days, Ocean Wave has scored two red-hot wins right here on the derby home grounds in the Blue Grass stakes and the Derby Trail mile. So, the "knock down the favorite" Marching and Chowder club has been holding meetings and coming to the conclusion that maybe the Wave can sink the Fleet yet.

This is especially so since the husky chestnut son of Blenheim—who also sired Whirlaway, the Wave's stablemate in the barn of Warren Wright of Chicago—has the backing of the training magic as worked by Plain Ben Jones of Parnell, Mo., already winner of two previous derbies with Whirly in 1941 and Lawrin in '38. In his two latest triumphs, the Wave has appeared as sharp as your butcher's meat cleaver.

However, he came up with a cracked heel in the Blue Grass and suffered a recurrence of the ailment—possibly even a little more severe—in the Trial mile on Tuesday. As a result, Plain Ben won't decide definitely until he gives the colt a half-mile "blow out" and a careful look-see tomorrow morning whether he'll let the Wave roll when "My Old Kentucky Home" drifts out over the picturesque Downs and the fanciest of the oat-burners parade out for their run for gold and glory.

After giving his hope a jog around the track this morning, Plain Ben said it's "50-50 whether we go."

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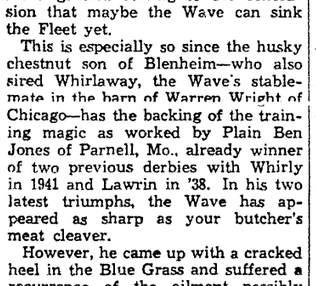


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## Positions, Odds On Derby Entries

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 30.—(AP)—Here is the field, listed according to post position and showing owners, jockeys and probable odds, for tomorrow's 69th running of the Kentucky Derby (gross value $82,750; net to winner $60,725). All carry 126 pounds.

| PP | Horse | Owner | Jockey | Prob. Odds |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Blue Swords | Allen T. Simmons | John Adams | 8-1 |
| 2 | Slide Rule | W. E. Boeing | Conn McCreary | 10-1 |
| 3 | Modest Lad | Mrs. Henry Finch | Charlie Swain | 50-1 |
| 4 | Dove Pie | J. Warfield Rodgers | No Boy | 100-1 |
| 5 | Count Fleet | Mrs. John D. Hertz | John Longden | 3-5 |
| 6 | Twoses | W. E. Boeing | Ferril Zufelt (x) | 10-1 |
| 7 | Bankrupt | Townsend B. Martin | Ferril Zufelt (x) | 100-1 |
| 8 | Amber Light | Charles T. Fisher | Alf Robertson | 15-1 |
| 9 | Burnt Cork | Eddie Anderson | Mike Gonzalez | 100-1 |
| 10 | Ocean Wave | Warren Wright | Wendell Eads | 4-1 |
| 11 | Gold Shower | Mrs. Vera S. Bragg | Ted Atkinson | 12-1 |
| 12 | No Wrinkles | Mrs. Ethel V. Mars | Ray Adair | 25-1 |

Post time 5:30 p.m., central war time.
(x)—Will ride Twoses if he goes to post, otherwise will ride Bankrupt.

## SENATORS TROUNCE YANKEES 2 TO 1, IN TEN-INNING BATTLE

### REBS BREAK LOSING STREAK; WIN, 8 TO 4

UNIVERSITY, Miss., April 30.—(AP) The university of Mississippi Rebels won their second conference baseball game against the Mississippi State Bulldogs, 8 to 4 here today.

The victory broke an 8-game losing streak as Ray Woodward pitched a six-hit ball game for the Rebs.

Roland Pryor did the pitching for the Staters, allowing nine hits during the game.

The Rebels opened up things in the first inning by scoring their initial tally. They chalked up two more runs in the third on a walk and two errors. The Rebels continued their scoring in the sixth by tallying two more times.

The Rebel lead was never threatened until the seventh inning when the Staters scored three runs to put them two behind. However, the rally was short-lived as the Ole Miss nine came back in the same stanza with three runs themselves. In the eighth the Bulldogs scored their final tally on a walk, an error, and a hit by Hilmes.

Ray Woodward was the winning pitcher and Roland Pryor the losing pitcher.

### THE STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

| Club | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 5 | 1 | .833 |
| Boston | 3 | 2 | .600 |
| Cincinnati | 4 | 3 | .571 |
| St. Louis | 4 | 3 | .571 |
| Chicago | 3 | 4 | .429 |
| Pittsburgh | 3 | 4 | .429 |
| New York | 2 | 4 | .333 |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 4 | .200 |

**Yesterday's Results**

Brooklyn at New York, postponed.
Boston at Philadelphia, postponed.
Only games scheduled.

**Today's Games**

Chicago at Pittsburgh—Passeau (0-0) vs. Sewell (2-0).
Cincinnati at St. Louis—Walters (0-0) or Star (1-1) vs. Pollet (1-0).
Boston at Philadelphia, Tobin (0-1) vs. Johnson (0-0).
Brooklyn at New York (2)—Macon (0-0) and Newson (1-0) vs. Melton (0-0) and Sunkel (0-0) or Feldman 0-0).

AMERICAN LEAGUE

| Club | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 5 | 2 | .714 |
| Cleveland | 5 | 2 | .714 |
| Washington | 6 | 3 | .667 |
| Detroit | 4 | 3 | .571 |
| St. Louis | 2 | 3 | .400 |
| Philadelphia | 3 | 6 | .333 |
| Boston | 2 | 5 | .286 |
| Chicago | 1 | 4 | .200 |

**Yesterday's Results**

Washington 2; New York 1 (10 innings).
Other games postponed.

**Today's Games**

New York at Washington—Zuber (0-0) vs. Carrasquel (2-0).
Philadelphia at Boston—Harris (0-1) vs. Judd (0-0).
Cleveland at Detroit—Bagby (2-0) or Harder (1-1) vs. White (0-0).
St. Louis at Chicago—Galehouse (0-1) vs. Smith (1-0).

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

| CLUB | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Birmingham | 5 | 2 | .714 |
| Little Rock | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| Chattanooga | 3 | 2 | .600 |
| Atlanta | 4 | 3 | .575 |
| Nashville | 3 | 4 | .429 |
| Knoxville | 3 | 4 | .429 |
| New Orleans | 2 | 5 | .286 |
| Memphis | 2 | 5 | .286 |

**Yesterday's Results**

Atlanta 9; Knoxville 4.
Chattanooga 7; Nashville 6 (10 innings).
New Orleans, 9; Little Rock 3.
Memphis 5; Birmingham 1.

**Today's Games**

Little Rock at New Orleans.
Chattanooga at Nashville.
Birmingham at Memphis.
Atlanta at Knoxville.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Louisville at Columbus, postponed.
Kansas City 7; St. Paul 3.
Minneapolis 5; Milwaukee 3.
Indianapolis at Toledo, postponed.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Montreal at Jersey city, postponed.
Toronto at Newark, postponed.
Buffalo at Syracuse, postponed.
Only games scheduled.


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### 'Dutch' Leonard Holds Bombers To 4 Hits In Only Major Game Of Day

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Emil (Dutch) Leonard, veteran knuckle ball pitcher who was not much help to Washington last year because of a broken leg, matched his 1942 won mark today when he hurled the Senators to a 2 to 1 10-inning victory over the New York Yankees.

'Dutch' Leonard

In chalking up his second victory of the season, Leonard outpointed Hank Borowy in a mound duel that was decided when Ellis Clary, Senators' third baseman, led off the tenth with a double. After Gene Moore had flied out, Stan Spence was intentionally passed and then Bob Johnson crashed through with the game winning single.

Leonard checked the American league champions with four hits, one of which was Charlie Keller's fourth-inning triple that led to the Yanks' lone run. He fanned two and issued only one free ticket to first. Borowy was touched for seven safe blows, two of which came in the second when Jim Vernon's single, Gerry Priddy's sacrifice and Jake Early's one-bagger sent the Senators off in front.

The defeat was the Yanks' second of the season and dropped them into a tie for first place in the American league with the idle Cleveland Indians. The game was the only one played in the major leagues and was witnessed by a Ladies' Day crowd of 8,000.

Box score:

| NEW YORK | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Stirnweiss, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Weatherly, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Keller, lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Gordon, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Etten, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 0 |
| W. Johnson, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Hemsley, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Lindell, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Borowy, p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 1 | 4 | z28 | 10 | 1 |

z—One out when winning run scored.

| WASHINGTON | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Clary, 3b | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Moore, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Spence, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Johnson, lf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Vernon, 1b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 3 | 0 |
| Priddy, 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Early, c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Sullivan, ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 0 |
| Leonard, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 2 | 7 | 30 | 13 | 1 |

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 000 | 100 | 000 | 0—1 |
| Washington | 001 | 000 | 000 | 1—2 |

Runs batted in: Early, Gordon, R. Johnson. Two base hit: Clary. Three base hit: Keller. Sacrifices: Priddy 2, Moore. Double plays: Sullivan, Priddy and Vernon; Priddy, Sullivan and Vernon. Left on bases: New York 3, Washington 10. Base on balls: Off Leonard 1, Borowy 3. Strikeouts: Borowy 2, Leonard 2. Hit by pitcher: By Borowy (Early). Umpires: Berry, Hubbard and Rommel. Time: 1:58. Attendance: 8,000.

## KENTUCKY SENATOR SAYS WATCH WAVE

### Chandler Admits Count Is Horse To Beat

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Senator A. B. (Happy) Chandler confided to the Associated Press today that while Count Fleet is the horse to beat in the Kentucky derby a chestnut 3-year-old who lives just a little piece up the road from the senator's blue grass home may turn the trick.

That steed is Ocean Wave, who came in nine lengths ahead in the Derby Trials.

The Kentucky senator made his pronouncement only after a telephone talk with Governor Keen Johnson and a couple of other mysterious calls which may or may not have been trunked through to the private stalls of Count Fleet and Ocean Wave at Churchill Downs.

"Count Fleet, if uninjured, is about the best, but Ocean Wave is a dangerous horse and may win it," declared Chandler, who is strictly a form follower.

The Wave's home barn is at Calumet farm, just a whoop and a holler from Chandler's own headquarters at Versailles. And the chestnut, he pointed out, was trained by the veteran Ben Jones. (If you don't know who plain Ben Jones is, what are you doing reading a story about the derby?)

The senator's enthusiasm for the 69th running of the classic was undiminished by transportation restrictions.

"This," he said, "is going to be a home folks derby, and the country boys are going to come into their own.

"I wouldn't be surprised to see the folks coming out to the track in surreys and phaetons, just like they did when Colonel Matt Winn shinnied up a tree in 1875 to see Aristides, the little red horse, win the first derby."

**COLLEGE BASEBALL**

L. S. U. 5-3; Tulane 4-8.
Georgia Tech 8; Vanderbilt 0.
Ole Miss 8; Mississippi State 4.
Presbyterian 13; Georgia 9.

## WISNER SWEEPS ANNUAL RELAYS

### Bulldogs First In Three Divisions With Winnsboro Only Opposition

WISNER, La., April 30.—(Special)—The third annual Wisner Relays drew only two teams this spring but the meet went off very successful under the existing conditions with the Wisner High school teams making a clean sweep of the three divisions of the meet. Winnsboro High school track and field talent supplied the opposition.

In the senior boys division of the meet went to Wisner by the slim margin of 50 to 49. Wisner's senior girls won 39 to 15, and the local elementary boys scored a 37 1-3 to 34 2-3 victory. Ribbons and trophies were presented winners of each event on the program.

Summary:

**Senior Boys**

Mile run—Braswell, Wisner, first; Lofton, Winnsboro, second; white, Wisner, third. Time 5:24.8.

High jump-Chapman, Wisner, first; Nichols, Winnsboro, second; Taylor, Winnsboro, third. Height, 5 feet, 4 inches.

Half mile run—Mitchell, Wisner, first; Hair, Winnsboro, second; Duchesne, Winnsboro, third. Time 2:22.9.

Pole vault—Watson. Wisner, first; Smith, Winnsboro, and Loew, Winnsboro, tied for second and third. Heighth, 9 feet, 3 inches.

Broad jump—Smith, Wisner, first; Taylor, Winnsboro, second; Price, Winnsboro, third. Distance 17 feet, 3 1-2 inches.

220-yard dash—Duchesne, Winnsboro, first; McKee, Winnsboro, second; Mitchell, Wisner, third. Time 24.4 seconds.

Hop, step and jump—Watson, Wisner, first; Taylor, Winnsboro, second; Braswell, Wisner, third. Distance 37 feet, 3 inches.

440-yard run—Mitchell, Wisner, first; Duchesne, Winnsboro, second; Carroll, Wisner, third. Time 56.9 seconds.

Shot put—Reljac, Winnsboro, first; Chapman. Wisner, second; Smith, Wisner, third. Distance 33 feet, 10 inches.

100-yard dash—Duchesne, Winnsboro, first; Magee, Winnsboro, second; Watson, Wisner, third. Time 10.4 seconds.

Mile relay—Winnsboro, first; Wisner second and third. Time 3:56.4.

**Senior Girls**

50-yard dash—McKee, Wisner, first; Taliaferro, Winnsboro, second; Albritton, Wisner, third. Time 7.2 seconds.

High jump—McDonald and Gordy, Wisner, and McClelland, Winnsboro, in three-way tie for first, second and third with height of four feet, four inches.

Broad jump—Albritton, Wisner, first; Mason, Winnsboro, second; Adams, Winnsboro, third. Distance 14 feet, six inches.

100-yard dash—McKee, Wisner, first; Anders, Winnsboro, second; Polk, Winnsboro, third. Time 13.2.

Softball throw—Bailey, Wisner, first; Lanier, Wisner, second; Nichols, Winnsboro, third. Distance 129 feet, 6 inches.

440-yard relay—Wisner team of Ensminger, May, Campbell, McKee, first; Winnsboro, second; Wisner, third. Time 61.8 seconds.

**Elementary Boys**

220-yard dash—Duchesne. Winnsboro, first; Carroll, Wisner, second; Cain, Wisner, third. Time 27 seconds.

High jump—Bailey, Wisner, first; Roberts, Wisner, and Holloway and Diamond, Winnsboro, in three way tie for second, third and fourth. Distance 4 feet, 8 inches.

50-yard dash—Duchesne, Winnsboro, first; Furr, Wisner, second; Carter, Winnsboro, third. Time 6.2 seconds.

100-yard dash—Duchesne, Winnsboro, first; Furr, Wisner, second; Willis, Wisner, third. Time 11.8.

Shot put—Diamond, Winnsboro, first; Bailey, Wisner, second; Hart, Winnsboro, third. Distance 34 feet, 8 inches.

Broad jump-Wiggers, Winnsboro, first; Bailey, Wisner, second; Carter, Winnsboro, third. Distance 15 feet, 1 inch.

440-yard run—Carroll, Wisner, first; Carter, Winnsboro, second; King, Wisner, third. Time 65.7 seconds.

880-yard relay—Wisner team of Cain, Roberts, Carroll and Furr, first; Wisner, second; Winnsboro, third. Time 2:05.5.

## NEGRO SOLDIERS' NINE SEEKS BASEBALL DATES

CAMP LIVINGSTON, La., April 30—(Special)—An appeal for baseball games for the negro soldiers' team of Camp Livingston has been issued by Lieutenant W. H. Nixon, special service officer here.

The team, including such stars as Moses, once with the Kansas City Monarchs, and Robinson and Strickland, other top negro athletes, will accept games with any other colored aggregation in this area, either civilian or military.

Teams interested in booking games with the Camp Livingston aggregation, colored champs of the camp for two seasons, should communicate with Lieutenant Nixon, 350th F. A. Gp.

## RAY ROBINSON SCORES KNOCKOUT OVER CABRAL

BOSTON, April 30.—(AP)—Ray (Sugar) Robinson, the stylish Harlem negro regarded by many as the uncrowned welterweight champion, disposed of Freddie Cabral of Cambridge with four terrific left hooks to the body after two minutes and twenty seconds of one-sided fisti-cuffing tonight in the Boston Boxing association's scheduled 10-round feature bout at the Boston garden.

Robinson, the winner of 134 of his 135 starts as an amateur and professional, cooly measured Cabral at the outset and, after taking a few very harmless left jabs, settled down to business directly on his opponent's midriff.

Belleau Wood, where United States marines stopped the Germans in 1918, was purchased in 1924 by a group of American women.

## QUALIFYING ROUNDS FOR M'GUIRE CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT TO START TODAY

Qualifying rounds of play for the annual McGuire Park Club championship golf tournament will get under way over the attractive McGuire layout north of West Monroe today, Jim McKenzie, club pro, announced last night, and match play will begin May 10.

Golfers will have a week in which to post their qualifying scores which must be carded not later than Sunday, May 9.

Bill Jones, who has had a prominent position in the Twin Cities' golfing circles the past two years, will be the defending champion and plans to be on hand to keep the Club crown.

## MERCHANTS GIVE GOLFING AWARDS

### Ten Prizes Offered Soldiers Participating In Selman Tourney

Ten prizes, donated by Monroe merchants as prizes for the golf tournament at Selman field, have been allocated as awards to winners, runners-up, consolation winners, and the one medalist in the officers' division of the tournament, Lieutenant Bernard E. Wilson, physical training director at the field, has announced.

Other prizes, donated by merchants for the contests, have not been allocated at this time, Lieutenant Wilson said. The enlisted men's and cadets' divisions will be flighted soon and prizes announced as soon as possible, he added.

For flight 1, first prize is a trophy cup, donated by the Monroe Hardware company. For flight 1 runner-up, Sig Haas and Son have donated $10 in merchandise. Third prize consolation is a new Willard battery, presented by Monk's Service station.

For flight 2, first prize is a cup, donated by R. and A. Jewelers. Second, or runner-up prize is an officers' tropical worsted shirt, from Fink the Tailor. Third prize is $5 in cleaning from Weil cleaners.

For flight 3, first prize is $10 in merchandise from The Toggery; second is $5 in merchandise from the Standard Office equipment; and third prize is a car wash and grease job from Louisville Esso station.

Medalist prize for the tourney is a watch, donated by Hunt and Whitaker. The medalist award goes to the person making the lowest qualifying score.

**QUALIFYING UNDERWAY**

Lieutenants W. C. Bohnhoff and W. O. Stolz are leading for medal honors as the qualifying for the Selman Officers golf tournament draws to a close. The deadline for qualifying at the Municipal course is tomorrow. Once play starts the entries will be permitted one week for each round, and Pro Jean Shirah said the tournament would not interfere with other play.

Lieutenants Bohnhoff and Stolz have posted 76s.

Other qualifying scores through yesterday were listed as follows:

Captain W. C. Gibson, 79; Lieutenant R. T. Young, 82; Captain R. D. Goree and Lieutenant J. R. Cross, 84; Lieutenant G. L. Walker, 85; Captain Culpepper, 87; Lieutenant William Marr; 88; Captain D. L. Fowler and Lieutenant B. H. Roberts, 90; Captain Lou Obdyke and Lieutenant H. J. Wagner, 91; Lieutenant A. R. Shelton and Lieutenant Richard Freydberg, 92; Captain Carter, 93; Lieutenant W. M. Stoops, 94; Major Merenda and Lieutenant James W. Higgon, 95; Lieutenant Robert Montieth, 96; Lieutenant F. R. Thompson and Lieutenant A. J. Sweeney, 97; Lieutenant G. B. Weller, 99; Lieutenant M. D. Marks and Lieutenant J. J. Sullivan, 100; Lieutenant Charles R. Widdicombe, 101; Lieutenant L. L. Reinsmith, 102; Lieutenant John A. Dallen, 104; Lieutenant E. W. Washington, 105; Captain E. W. Beck and Lieutenant B. Cesolini, 109; Lieutenant P. S. Stonerock; 110; Lieutenant A. B. Cleveland, Ill, and Lieutenant P. O. Swanson, 114.

## LUMBERJACKS EVEN SERIES WITH TIGERS

CLARKS, La., April 30.—(Special)—Pitcher Thompson's single in the last inning saved the day for the Clarks Lumberjacks here this afternoon as the blow broke up a tie and gave the 'Jacks a 6 to 5 victory over the Neville High school Tigers of Monroe. The triumph evened the score with Coach Elgin Boggs' Bengals who defeated Clarks earlier in the week in a game at Monroe.

The Lumberjacks held a 5 to 4 lead over the invaders until the seventh frame when O'Neal "Cotton" Kitchens, Tiger outfielder, singled home the tying run. But Thompson's blow that sent Coty across the plate in the last of the seventh broke up the game.

Bernard Semmes, Neville second baseman, was outstanding at bat with a perfect average for the day, getting three singles and a double in four times at bat. May and Jackson led the Clarks hitting with two safe clouts each.

Clarks got eight hits off the efforts of Breard and Canal who shared the Neville hurling. The Tigers reached Thompson for nine hits. Breard fanned four batters, and Thompson whiffed six.

Score by innings:

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Neville | 001 | 300 | 1 | —5 |
| Clarks | 003 | 200 | 1 | —6 |

Breard, Canal and Rubin; Thompson and Cobb.


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DIZZY, STILL THE SPEAKING HALF OF THE ME 'N PAUL ACT, INSISTS HIS STRAIGHT MAN WILL BE THE TOP CHUCKER IN THE AMERICAN LEAGUE, JULY 4 — UNQUOTE —

## WIVES PASS THEIR BITS OF STEAK TO PLAYING HUSBANDS

PHILADELPHIA, April 30.—(AP)—This fans, is a tale of high sacrifice—a stirring story of four little women (two blondes, two brunettes) who, for the honor of the Phillies and loyalty to baseball, are giving up a favorite pastime—the eating of juicy steaks.

Effective now and for the duration of the National league campaign, they're turning over their steak ration points to their spouses—that the latter may clout out the dead ball harder.

When their menfolks are on the road, bearing gamely the hardships of swank hotel dining rooms and lush railroad dining cars, these homebound ladies, they announce, are going on a liquid diet. When the men come home, the women will eat—but no steaks. Their names—and this may well be a ration-time honor roll of American womanhood—are:

Mrs. Dorothy Lynch Litwhiler, formerly of Ringtown, Pa., 25-year-old wife of Outfielder Danny Litwhiler; Mrs. Gibbie Young Northey, 25-year-old spouse of Outfielder Ron Northey; Mrs. Jane May, formerly of Elizabeth, Ind., 25-year-old helpmate of Merrill (Pinky) May; and Mrs. Doris Thompson Johnson, formerly of Sheridan, Ill., whose husband is Pitcher Si Johnson.

"I don't eat much anyway," sighed Mrs. Litwhiler, smiling bravely.

"Ah, me," said Mrs. Northey.

"A good T-bone steak takes about 16 points," said Mrs. May wistfully. "I go on a liquid diet and can lose three pounds in three days while my husband is away."

"I can diet and diet," said Mrs. Johnson, "but it doesn't do any good."

"There's something about a steak," said Bill Phillips, the Phillies' professional rooter, indorsing the plan, "that'll put ping in a man's bat and speed in his feet."

The ladies smiled.

It'll be hard for any of them to break the resolution, because they all live in the same swanky apartment house. That, however, gives them a feeling of security in numbers, which they feel they need. For you never can tell when their sacrifices are going to give other men a great idea, and look at the effect that might have on other wives.

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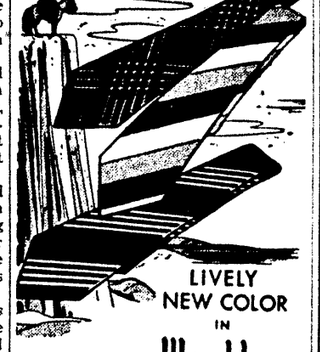

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## FLYING BASEBALL TEAM UNHURT IN PLANE CRASH

DALLAS, Tex., April 30.—(AP)—A baseball team and the crew escaped with minor injuries yesterday when the famous Flying Fortress "Suzie Q" made a belly landing and partially burned at Hampton airport.

Twenty men, including the Fifth Ferrying group's Flying V baseball team were aboard the plane when it took off here, bound for Waco. The group's public relations officer said a motor caught fire shortly after the takeoff. The pilot Major Wyatt H Alexander brought the craft in to a belly landing, during which a motor tore loose and new flames broke out.

Six of the men were hospitalized but their injuries were not considered serious.

Canned liquids are chilled without refrigeration in Africa. The cans are buried in the sand and gasoline poured over the spot. The rapid evaporation of the fuel lowers the temperature of the can's contents.

## TIGERS, GREENIES SPLIT TWIN BILL

### L. S. U. Cops First Game, 5 To 4; Tulane Takes Nightcap By 8-3 Score

BATON ROUGE, La., April 30.—(AP)—Tulane and Louisiana State broke even in a double header baseball bill today, with L. S. U. winning 5-4 in the opener and Tulane swamping the Tigers 8-3 in the nightcap.

The series gave L. S. U. a lead over Tulane for the season, the Tigers having won both ends of an earlier double header in New Orleans.

In today's second game Lou Thomas, Tulane first sacker, hit a home run with two mates on base in a big sixth inning rally when five hits went for as many runs for Tulane. Lefty Jim Hall held Tulane hitless for five innings earlier.

L. S. U. won the opener by bunching hits in the second and third frames for four runs, while Tulane was scoring only two. In the second inning L. S. U.'s scoring began after two were out. Tulane's catcher "Morse" Porter, tossed three L. S. U. runners out at the plate.

Score by innings:

First Game

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tulane | 020 | 000 | 002 | 4—[illegible] |
| L. S. U. | 022 | 000 | 01x | 5—[illegible] |

Ludinan and Porter; Madison Sims.

Second Game

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tulane | 000 | 005 | 3 | 8 |
| L. S. U. | 000 | 102 | 0 | 3 |

Porcian and Porter; J. Hall, [illegible] and Wheeler.

## JOHN BROMWICH SHOT IN ACTION-ON TENNIS COU[illegible]

ADELAIDE, Australia, April 30.—[illegible]—John Bromwich, Australian Da[illegible] cup tennis star now in uniform in N[illegible] Guinea, has been wounded in actio[illegible] non-military action.

In a letter to a friend Brom[illegible] said that, while fielding in a cri[illegible] match, he raised his hands in fro[illegible] his head just in time to deflect [illegible] caliber bullet accidentally discha[illegible] from an undetermined source.

The bullet entered the palm [illegible] Bromwich's hand and narrowly m[illegible] his temple. The wound is not seri[illegible]


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# COUNT FLEET, 11 OTHERS ENTERED FOR DERBY

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### Ocean Wave Chief Threat To Favorite; Seven Hearts 'In And Out'

By Sid Feder

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 30.—(AP)—This strangest of all Kentucky Derbies came up with a new wacky wrinkle today as Count Fleet and 11 other three-year-olds were entered to run the mile and a quarter tomorrow for a necklace of roses worth $60,725.

Topping off such developments as a shadow of doubt surrounding the highly regarded Ocean Wave's chances of getting to the post and Derbytown almost wierdly empty of the usual mobs of noisy, jostling out-of-town celebrants, the new touch of confusion popped up today when a "mysterious" entry blank showed up and then had to be "lost" again.

This was a blank made out in the name of Seven Hearts, the horse with the ailing foot from the barn of J. Graham Brown, local hotel man. When the entry box closed, only 12 horses were supposed to be nominated to start in the big race at traditional Churchill Downs at 5:30 p.m. (central war time) tomorrow. Then, in the draw for post positions, the slip for "Mr. Double-and-Redouble" was discovered and after he drew a lane it was withdrawn again because his trainer didn't know a thing about it.

As if that wasn't enough to get the folks—some 50,000 of whom are expected to sit in on this "street car" derby—riding the merry-go-round again, Derbyville itself presented a picture that looked as much like the annual madhouse as Beethoven resembles jive.

Under its pledge to the war effort to have only fans from greater Louisville in for this year's shindig, the 'Downs' customary jam-session of 85,000 or 90,000 cash customers will be slicked almost in half. Food prices have been "frozen" so that you don't have to pay for a side of beef in order to buy a hamburger this year.

Naturally, it is almost unanimously agreed that Count Fleet, a tall, rangy brown lightning streak carrying the canary and black silks of Mrs. John D. Hertz of the Chicago U-Drive Yellow taxicabs hertzes, is a simple cakewalk for the big pot.

World-record maker at two, the Hertz Hurricane was installed as the shortest priced future-book favorite in all derby history, and he has lived up to that ranking in his two starts so far this spring, romping to two triumphs at Jamacia as easily as eating his oats. The result has been that his odds have dropped almost weekly, until they've hit rock-bottom 1 to 2 right now.

Up to two weeks ago, there wasn't even an arm-chair handicapper brave enough to pick against him for tomorrow's May Day brawl, but in the past 11 days, Ocean Wave has scored two red-hot wins right here on the derby home grounds in the Blue Grass stakes and the Derby Trail mile. So, the "knock down the favorite" Marching and Chowder club has been holding meetings and coming to the conclusion that maybe the Wave can sink the Fleet yet.

This is especially so since the husky chestnut son of Blenheim—who also sired Whirlaway, the Wave's stablemate in the barn of Warren Wright of Chicago—has the backing of the training magic as worked by Plain Ben Jones of Parnell, Mo., already winner of two previous derbies with Whirly in 1941 and Lawrin in '38. In his two latest triumphs, the Wave has appeared as sharp as your butcher's meat cleaver.

However, he came up with a cracked heel in the Blue Grass and suffered a recurrence of the ailment—possibly even a little more severe—in the Trial mile on Tuesday. As a result, Plain Ben won't decide definitely until he gives the colt a half-mile "blow out" and a careful look-see tomorrow morning whether he'll let the Wave roll when "My Old Kentucky Home" drifts out over the picturesque Downs and the fanciest of the oat-burners parade out for their run for gold and glory.

After giving his hope a jog around the track this morning, Plain Ben said it's "50-50 whether we go."

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## Positions, Odds On Derby Entries

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 30.—(AP)—Here is the field, listed according to post position and showing owners, jockeys and probable odds, for tomorrow's 69th running of the Kentucky Derby (gross value $82,750; net to winner $60,725). All carry 126 pounds.

| PP | Horse | Owner | Jockey | Prob. Odds |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Blue Swords | Allen T. Simmons | John Adams | 8-1 |
| 2 | Slide Rule | W. E. Boeing | Conn McCreary | 10-1 |
| 3 | Modest Lad | Mrs. Henry Finch | Charlie Swain | 50-1 |
| 4 | Dove Pie | J. Warfield Rodgers | No Boy | 100-1 |
| 5 | Count Fleet | Mrs. John D. Hertz | John Longden | 3-5 |
| 6 | Twoses | W. E. Boeing | Ferril Zufelt (x) | 10-1 |
| 7 | Bankrupt | Townsend B. Martin | Ferril Zufelt (x) | 100-1 |
| 8 | Amber Light | Charles T. Fisher | Alf Robertson | 15-1 |
| 9 | Burnt Cork | Eddie Anderson | Mike Gonzalez | 100-1 |
| 10 | Ocean Wave | Warren Wright | Wendell Eads | 4-1 |
| 11 | Gold Shower | Mrs. Vera S. Bragg | Ted Atkinson | 12-1 |
| 12 | No Wrinkles | Mrs. Ethel V. Mars | Ray Adair | 25-1 |

Post time 5:30 p.m., central war time.
(x)—Will ride Twoses if he goes to post, otherwise will ride Bankrupt.

## SENATORS TROUNCE YANKEES 2 TO 1, IN TEN-INNING BATTLE

## REBS BREAK LOSING STREAK; WIN, 8 TO 4

UNIVERSITY, Miss., April 30.—(AP) The university of Mississippi Rebels won their second conference baseball game against the Mississippi State Bulldogs, 8 to 4 here today.

The victory broke an 8-game losing streak as Ray Woodward pitched a six-hit ball game for the Rebs.

Roland Pryor did the pitching for the Staters, allowing nine hits during the game.

The Rebels opened up things in the first inning by scoring their initial tally. They chalked up two more runs in the third on a walk and two errors. The Rebels continued their scoring in the sixth by tallying two more times.

The Rebel lead was never threatened until the seventh inning when the Staters scored three runs to put them two behind. However, the rally was short-lived as the Ole Miss nine came back in the same stanza with three runs themselves. In the eighth the Bulldogs scored their final tally on a walk, an error, and a hit by Hilmes.

Ray Woodward was the winning pitcher and Roland Pryor the losing pitcher.

## THE STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

| Club | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 5 | 1 | .833 |
| Boston | 3 | 2 | .600 |
| Cincinnati | 4 | 3 | .571 |
| St. Louis | 4 | 3 | .571 |
| Chicago | 3 | 4 | .429 |
| Pittsburgh | 3 | 4 | .429 |
| New York | 2 | 4 | .333 |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 4 | .200 |

Yesterday's Results

Brooklyn at New York, postponed.
Boston at Philadelphia, postponed.
Only games scheduled.

Today's Games

Chicago at Pittsburgh—Passeau (0-0) vs. Sewell (2-0).
Cincinnati at St. Louis—Walters (0-0) or Star (1-1) vs. Pollet (1-0).
Boston at Philadelphia—Tobin (0-1) vs. Johnson (0-0).
Brooklyn at New York (2)—Macon (0-0) and Newson (1-0) vs. Melton (0-0) and Sunkel (0-0) or Feldman 0-0).

AMERICAN LEAGUE

| Club | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 5 | 2 | .714 |
| Cleveland | 5 | 2 | .714 |
| Washington | 6 | 3 | .667 |
| Detroit | 4 | 3 | .571 |
| St. Louis | 2 | 3 | .400 |
| Philadelphia | 3 | 6 | .333 |
| Boston | 2 | 5 | .286 |
| Chicago | 1 | 4 | .200 |

Yesterday's Results

Washington 2; New York 1 (10 innings).
Other games postponed.

Today's Games

New York at Washington—Zuber (0-0) vs. Carrasquel (2-0).
Philadelphia at Boston—Harris (0-1) vs. Judd (0-0).
Cleveland at Detroit—Bagby (2-0) or Harder (1-1) vs. White (0-0).
St. Louis at Chicago—Galehouse (0-1) vs. Smith (1-0).

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

| CLUB | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Birmingham | 5 | 2 | .714 |
| Little Rock | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| Chattanooga | 3 | 2 | .600 |
| Atlanta | 4 | 3 | .575 |
| Nashville | 3 | 4 | .429 |
| Knoxville | 3 | 4 | .429 |
| New Orleans | 2 | 5 | .286 |
| Memphis | 2 | 5 | .286 |

Yesterday's Results

Atlanta 9; Knoxville 4.
Chattanooga 7; Nashville 6 (10 innings).
New Orleans, 9; Little Rock 3.
Memphis 5; Birmingham 1.

Today's Games

Little Rock at New Orleans.
Chattanooga at Nashville.
Birmingham at Memphis.
Atlanta at Knoxville.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Louisville at Columbus, postponed.
Kansas City 7; St. Paul 3.
Minneapolis 5; Milwaukee 3.
Indianapolis at Toledo, postponed.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Montreal at Jersey city, postponed.
Toronto at Newark, postponed.
Buffalo at Syracuse, postponed.
Only games scheduled.


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## 'Dutch' Leonard Holds Bombers To 4 Hits In Only Major Game Of Day

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Emil (Dutch) Leonard, veteran knuckle ball pitcher who was not much help to Washington last year because of a broken leg, matched his 1942 won mark today when he hurled the Senators to a 2 to 1 10-inning victory over the New York Yankees.

'Dutch' Leonard

In chalking up his second victory of the season, Leonard outpointed Hank Borowy in a mound duel that was decided when Ellis Clary, Senators' third baseman, led off the tenth with a double. After Gene Moore had flied out, Stan Spence was intentionally passed and then Bob Johnson crashed through with the game winning single.

Leonard checked the American league champions with four hits, one of which was Charlie Keller's fourth-inning triple that led to the Yanks' lone run. He fanned two and issued only one free ticket to first. Borowy was touched for seven safe blows, two of which came in the second when Jim Vernon's single, Gerry Priddy's sacrifice and Jake Early's one-bagger sent the Senators off in front.

The defeat was the Yanks' second of the season and dropped them into a tie for first place in the American league with the idle Cleveland Indians. The game was the only one played in the major leagues and was witnessed by a Ladies' Day crowd of 8,000.

Box score:

| NEW YORK | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Stirnweiss, ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Weatherly, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Keller, lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Gordon, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Etten, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 0 |
| W. Johnson, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Hemsley, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Lindell, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Borowy, p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 1 | 4 | z28 | 10 | 1 |

z—One out when winning run scored.

| WASHINGTON | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Clary, 3b | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Moore, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Spence, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Johnson, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Vernon, 1b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 0 |
| Priddy, 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Early, c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Sullivan, ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 0 |
| Leonard, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 2 | 7 | 30 | 13 | 1 |

Score by innings:

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 000 | 100 | 000 | 0—1 |
| Washington | 001 | 000 | 000 | 1—2 |

Runs batted in: Early, Gordon, R. Johnson. Two base hit: Clary. Three base hit: Keller. Sacrifices: Priddy 2, Moore. Double plays: Sullivan, Priddy and Vernon; Priddy, Sullivan and Vernon. Left on bases: New York 3, Washington 10. Base on balls: Off Leonard 1, Borowy 3. Strikeouts: Borowy 2, Leonard 2. Hit by pitcher: By Borowy (Early). Umpires: Berry, Hubbard and Rommel. Time: 1:58. Attendance: 8,000.

## KENTUCKY SENATOR SAYS WATCH WAVE

### Chandler Admits Count Is Horse To Beat

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Senator A. B. (Happy) Chandler confided to the Associated Press today that while Count Fleet is the horse to beat in the Kentucky derby a chestnut 3-year-old who lives just a little piece up the road from the senator's blue grass home may turn the trick.

That steed is Ocean Wave, who came in nine lengths ahead in the Derby Trials.

The Kentucky senator made his pronouncement only after a telephone talk with Governor Keen Johnson and a couple of other mysterious calls which may or may not have been trunked through to the private stalls of Count Fleet and Ocean Wave at Churchill Downs.

"Count Fleet, if uninjured, is about the best, but Ocean Wave is a dangerous horse and may win it," declared Chandler, who is strictly a form follower.

The Wave's home barn is at Calumet farm, just a whoop and a holler from Chandler's own headquarters at Versailles. And the chestnut, he pointed out, was trained by the veteran Ben Jones. (If you don't know who plain Ben Jones is, what are you doing reading a story about the derby?)

The senator's enthusiasm for the 69th running of the classic was undiminished by transportation restrictions.

"This," he said, "is going to be a home folks derby, and the country boys are going to come into their own.

"I wouldn't be surprised to see the folks coming out to the track in surreys and phaetons, just like they did when Colonel Matt Winn shinnied up a tree in 1875 to see Aristides, the little red horse, win the first derby."

COLLEGE BASEBALL

L. S. U. 5-3; Tulane 4-8.
Georgia Tech 8; Vanderbilt 0.
Ole Miss 8; Mississippi State 4.
Presbyterian 13; Georgia 9.

## WISNER SWEEPS ANNUAL RELAYS

### Bulldogs First In Three Divisions With Winnsboro Only Opposition

WISNER, La., April 30.—(Special)—The third annual Wisner Relays drew only two teams this spring but the meet went off very successful under the existing conditions with the Wisner High school teams making a clean sweep of the three divisions of the meet. Winnsboro High school track and field talent supplied the opposition.

In the senior boys division of the meet went to Wisner by the slim margin of 50 to 49. Wisner's senior girls won 39 to 15, and the local elementary boys scored a 37 1-3 to 34 2-3 victory. Ribbons and trophies were presented winners of each event on the program.

Summary:

Senior Boys

Mile run—Braswell, Wisner, first; Lofton, Winnsboro, second; white, Wisner, third. Time 5:24.8.

High jump-Chapman, Wisner, first; Nichols, Winnsboro, second; Taylor, Winnsboro, third. Height, 5 feet, 4 inches.

Half mile run—Mitchell, Wisner, first; Hair, Winnsboro, second; Duchesne, Winnsboro, third. Time 2:22.9.

Pole vault—Watson, Wisner, first; Smith, Winnsboro, and Loew, Winnsboro, tied for second and third. Heighth, 9 feet, 3 inches.

Broad jump—Smith, Wisner, first; Taylor, Winnsboro, second; Price, Winnsboro, third. Distance 17 feet, 3 1-2 inches.

220-yard dash—Duchesne, Winnsboro, first; McKee, Winnsboro, second; Mitchell, Wisner, third. Time 24.4 seconds.

Hop, step and jump—Watson, Wisner, first; Taylor, Winnsboro, second; Braswell, Wisner, third. Distance 37 feet, 3 inches.

440-yard run—Mitchell, Wisner, first; Duchesne, Winnsboro, second; Carroll, Wisner, third. Time 56.9 seconds.

Shot put—Reljac, Winnsboro, first; Chapman, Wisner, second; Smith, Wisner, third. Distance 33 feet, 10 inches.

100-yard dash—Duchesne, Winnsboro, first; Magee, Winnsboro, second; Watson, Wisner, third. Time 10.4 seconds.

Mile relay—Winnsboro, first; Wisner second and third. Time 3:56.4.

Senior Girls

50-yard dash—McKee, Wisner, first; Taliaferro, Winnsboro, second; Albritton, Wisner, third. Time 7.2 seconds.

High jump—McDonald and Gordy, Wisner, and McClelland, Winnsboro, in three-way tie for first, second and third with height of four feet, four inches.

Broad jump—Albritton, Wisner, first; Mason, Winnsboro, second; Adams, Winnsboro, third. Distance 14 feet, six inches.

100-yard dash—McKee, Wisner, first; Anders, Winnsboro, second; Polk, Winnsboro, third. Time 13.2.

Softball throw—Bailey, Wisner, first; Lanier, Wisner, second; Nichols, Winnsboro, third. Distance 129 feet, 6 inches.

440-yard relay—Wisner team of Ensminger, May, Campbell, McKee, first; Winnsboro, second; Wisner, third. Time 61.8 seconds.

Elementary Boys

220-yard dash—Duchesne, Winnsboro, first; Carroll, Wisner, second; Cain, Wisner, third. Time 27 seconds.

High jump—Bailey, Wisner, first; Roberts, Wisner, and Holloway and Diamond, Winnsboro, in three way tie for second, third and fourth. Distance 4 feet, 8 inches.

50-yard dash—Duchesne, Winnsboro, first; Furr, Wisner, second; Carter, Winnsboro, third. Time 6.2 seconds.

100-yard dash—Duchesne, Winnsboro, first; Furr, Wisner, second; Willis, Wisner, third. Time 11.8.

Shot put—Diamond, Winnsboro, first; Bailey, Wisner, second; Hart, Winnsboro, third. Distance 34 feet, 8 inches.

Broad jump-Wiggers, Winnsboro, first; Bailey, Wisner, second; Carter, Winnsboro, third. Distance 15 feet, 1 inch.

440-yard run—Carroll, Wisner, first; Carter, Winnsboro, second; King, Wisner, third. Time 65.7 seconds.

880-yard relay—Wisner team of Cain, Roberts, Carroll and Furr, first; Wisner, second; Winnsboro, third. Time 2:05.5.

## NEGRO SOLDIERS' NINE SEEKS BASEBALL DATES

CAMP LIVINGSTON, La., April 30—(Special)—An appeal for baseball games for the negro soldiers' team of Camp Livingston has been issued by Lieutenant W. H. Nixon, special service officer here.

The team, including such stars as Moses, once with the Kansas City Monarchs, and Robinson and Strictland, other top negro athletes, will accept games with any other colored aggregation in this area, either civilian or military.

Teams interested in booking games with the Camp Livingston aggregation, colored champs of the camp for two seasons, should communicate with Lieutenant Nixon, 350th F. A. Gp.

## RAY ROBINSON SCORES KNOCKOUT OVER CABRAL

BOSTON, April 30.—(AP)—Ray (Sugar) Robinson, the stylish Harlem negro regarded by many as the uncrowned welterweight champion, disposed of Freddie Cabral of Cambridge with four terrific left hooks to the body after two minutes and twenty seconds of one-sided fisti-cuffing tonight in the Boston Boxing association's scheduled 10-round feature bout at the Boston garden.

Robinson, the winner of 134 of his 135 starts as an amateur and professional, cooly measured Cabral at the outset and, after taking a few very harmless left jabs, settled down to business directly on his opponent's midriff.

Belleau Wood, where United States marines stopped the Germans in 1918, was purchased in 1924 by a group of American women.

## QUALIFYING ROUNDS FOR M'GUIRE CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT TO START TODAY

Qualifying rounds of play for the annual McGuire Park Club championship golf tournament will get under way over the attractive McGuire layout north of West Monroe today, Jim McKenzie, club pro, announced last night, and match play will begin May 10.

Golfers will have a week in which to post their qualifying scores which must be carded not later than Sunday, May 9.

Bill Jones, who has had a prominent position in the Twin Cities' golfing circles the past two years, will be the defending champion and plans to be on hand to keep the Club crown.

## MERCHANTS GIVE GOLFING AWARDS

### Ten Prizes Offered Soldiers Participating In Selman Tourney

Ten prizes, donated by Monroe merchants as prizes for the golf tournament at Selman field, have been allocated as awards to winners, runners-up, consolation winners, and the one medalist in the officers' division of the tournament, Lieutenant Bernard E. Wilson, physical training director at the field, has announced.

Other prizes, donated by merchants for the contests, have not been allocated at this time, Lieutenant Wilson said. The enlisted men's and cadets' divisions will be flighted soon and prizes announced as soon as possible, he added.

For flight 1, first prize is a trophy cup, donated by the Monroe Hardware company. For flight 1 runner-up, Sig Haas and Son have donated $10 in merchandise. Third prize consolation is a new Willard battery, presented by Monk's Service station.

For flight 2, first prize is a cup, donated by R. and A. Jewelers. Second, or runner-up prize is an officers' tropical worsted shirt, from Fink the Tailor. Third prize is $5 in cleaning from Weil cleaners.

For flight 3, first prize is $10 in merchandise from The Toggery; second is $5 in merchandise from the Standard Office equipment; and third prize is a car wash and grease job from Louisville Esso station.

Medalist prize for the tourney is a watch, donated by Hunt and Whitaker. The medalist award goes to the person making the lowest qualifying score.

QUALIFYING UNDERWAY

Lieutenants W. C. Bohnhoff and W. O. Stolz are leading for medal honors as the qualifying for the Selman Officers golf tournament draws to a close. The deadline for qualifying at the Municipal course is tomorrow. Once play starts the entries will be permitted one week for each round, and Pro Jean Shirah said the tournament would not interfere with other play.

Lieutenants Bohnhoff and Stolz have posted 76s.

Other qualifying scores through yesterday were listed as follows:

Captain W. C. Gibson, 79; Lieutenant R. T. Young, 82; Captain R. D. Goree and Lieutenant J. R. Cross, 84; Lieutenant G. L. Walker, 85; Captain Culpepper, 87; Lieutenant William Marr; 88; Captain D. L. Fowler and Lieutenant B. H. Roberts, 90; Captain Lou Obdyke and Lieutenant H. J. Wagner, 91; Lieutenant A. R. Shelton and Lieutenant Richard Freydberg, 92; Captain Carter, 93; Lieutenant W. M. Stoops, 94; Major Merenda and Lieutenant James W. Higgon, 95; Lieutenant Robert Montieth, 96; Lieutenant F. R. Thompson and Lieutenant A. J. Sweeney, 97; Lieutenant G. B. Weller, 99; Lieutenant M. D. Marks and Lieutenant J. J. Sullivan, 100; Lieutenant Charles R. Widdicombe, 101; Lieutenant L. L. Reinsmith, 102; Lieutenant John A. Dallen, 104; Lieutenant E. W. Washington, 105; Captain E. W. Beck and Lieutenant B. Cesolini, 109; Lieutenant P. S. Stonerock; 110; Lieutenant A. B. Cleveland, Ill, and Lieutenant P. O. Swanson, 114.

## LUMBERJACKS EVEN SERIES WITH TIGERS

CLARKS, La., April 30.—(Special)—Pitcher Thompson's single in the last inning saved the day for the Clarks Lumberjacks here this afternoon as the blow broke up a tie and gave the 'Jacks a 6 to 5 victory over the Neville High school Tigers of Monroe. The triumph evened the score with Coach Elgin Boggs' Bengals who defeated Clarks earlier in the week in a game at Monroe.

The Lumberjacks held a 5 to 4 lead over the invaders until the seventh frame when O'Neal "Cotton" Kitchens, Tiger outfielder, singled home the tying run. But Thompson's blow that sent Coty across the plate in the last of the seventh broke up the game.

Bernard Semmes, Neville second baseman, was outstanding at bat with a perfect average for the day, getting three singles and a double in four times at bat. May and Jackson led the Clarks hitting with two safe clouts each.

Clarks got eight hits off the efforts of Breard and Canal who shared the Neville hurling. The Tigers reached Thompson for nine hits. Breard fanned four batters, and Thompson whiffed six.

Score by innings:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Neville | 001 300 1 | —5 |
| Clarks | 003 200 1 | —6 |

Breard, Canal and Rubin; Thompson and Cobb.


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## WIVES PASS THEIR BITS OF STEAK TO PLAYING HUSBANDS

PHILADELPHIA, April 30.—(AP)—This, fans, is a tale of high sacrifice—a stirring story of four little women (two blondes, two brunettes) who, for the honor of the Phillies and loyalty to baseball, are giving up a favorite pastime—the eating of juicy steaks.

Effective now and for the duration of the National league campaign, they're turning over their steak ration points to their spouses—that the latter may clout out the dead ball harder.

When their menfolks are on the road, bearing gamely the hardships of swank hotel dining rooms and lush railroad dining cars, these homebound ladies, they announce, are going on a liquid diet. When the men come home, the women will eat—but no steaks. Their names—and this may well be a ration-time honor roll of American womanhood—are:

Mrs. Dorothy Lynch Litwhiler, formerly of Ringtown, Pa., 25-year-old wife of Outfielder Danny Litwhiler; Mrs. Gibbie Young Northey, 25-year-old spouse of Outfielder Ron Northey; Mrs. Jane May, formerly of Elizabeth, Ind., 25-year-old helpmate of Merrill (Pinky) May; and Mrs. Doris Thompson Johnson, formerly of Sheridan, Ill., whose husband is Pitcher Si Johnson.

"I don't eat much anyway," sighed Mrs. Litwhiler, smiling bravely.

"Ah, me," said Mrs. Northey.

"A good T-bone steak takes about 16 points," said Mrs. May wistfully. "I go on a liquid diet and can lose three pounds in three days while my husband is away."

"I can diet and diet," said Mrs. Johnson, "but it doesn't do any good."

"There's something about a steak," said Bill Phillips, the Phillies' professional rooter, indorsing the plan, "that'll put ping in a man's bat and speed in his feet."

The ladies smiled.

It'll be hard for any of them to break the resolution, because they all live in the same swanky apartment house. That, however, gives them a feeling of security in numbers, which they feel they need. For you never can tell when their sacrifices are going to give other men a great idea, and look at the effect that might have on other wives.

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## FLYING BASEBALL TEAM UNHURT IN PLANE CRASH

DALLAS, Tex., April 30.—(AP)—A baseball team and the crew escaped with minor injuries yesterday when the famous Flying Fortress "Suzie Q" made a belly landing and partially burned at Hampton airport.

Twenty men, including the Fifth Ferrying group's Flying V baseball team were aboard the plane when it took off here, bound for Waco. The group's public relations officer said a motor caught fire shortly after the takeoff. The pilot Major Wyatt H. Alexander brought the craft in to a belly landing, during which a motor tore loose and new flames broke out.

Six of the men were hospitalized but their injuries were not considered serious.

Canned liquids are chilled without refrigeration in Africa. The cans are buried in the sand and gasoline poured over the spot. The rapid evaporation of the fuel lowers the temperature of the can's contents.

## TIGERS, GREENIES SPLIT TWIN BILL

### L. S. U. Cops First Game, 5 To 4; Tulane Takes Nightcap By 8-3 Score

BATON ROUGE, La., April 30.—(AP)—Tulane and Louisiana State broke even in a double header baseball bill today, with L. S. U. winning 5-4 in the opener and Tulane swamping the Tigers 8-3 in the nightcap.

The series gave L. S. U. a lead over Tulane for the season, the Tigers having won both ends of an earlier double header in New Orleans.

In today's second game Lou Thomas, Tulane first sacker, hit a home run with two mates on base in a big sixth inning rally when five hits went for as many runs for Tulane. Lefty Jim Hall held Tulane hitless for five innings earlier.

L. S. U. won the opener by bunching hits in the second and third frames for four runs, while Tulane was scoring only two. In the second inning L. S. U.'s scoring began after two were out. Tulane's catcher "Morse" Porter, tossed three L. S. U. runners out at the plate.

Score by innings:

First Game

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tulane | 020 000 002 | 4—1 |
| L. S. U. | 022 000 01x | 5—1 |

Ludman and Porter; Madison Sims.

Second Game

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tulane | 000 005 3 | 8 |
| L. S. U. | 000 102 0 | 3 |

Porciau and Porter; J. Hall, [illegible] and Wheeler.

## JOHN BROMWICH SHOT[illegible] ACTION ON TENNIS COU[illegible]

ADELAIDE, Australia, April 30.—(AP)—John Bromwich, Australian Da[illegible] cup tennis star now in uniform in N[illegible] Guinea, has been wounded in actio[illegible] non-military action.

In a letter to a friend Brom[illegible] said that, while fielding in a cri[illegible] match, he raised his hands in fro[illegible] his head just in time to deflect [illegible] caliber bullet accidentally discha[illegible] from an undetermined source.

The bullet entered the palm [illegible] Bromwich's hand and narowly m[illegible] his temple. The wound is not seri[illegible]


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# ME 9 STARTERS N DIXIE HANDICAP

## n, Riverland Get Chief pport For Pimlico's Big Event

By Donald Sanders

LTIMORE, April 30.—(AP)—A field e distance stars was named today the $20,000-Added Dixie ich will feature the racing Pimlico tomorrow, with pport centering on Riv- ttention, two of the stead- rs in the handicap ranks. members of the We-Beat- club will carry top weight ds each in the 40th renewal and three-sixteenths Dixie. racing for the Louisiana stables of Harold A. Clark, will dden by Steve Brooks. orgie (the Iceman) Woolf will have the mount on Attention, the Equipoise son now racing in the silks of Trainer Max Hirsch, who leased him from the Mrs. Parker Corning estate.

Attention ran second in the 1942 renewal of the Dixie, which produced one of the most thrilling contests of the Maryland racing years as Whirlaway came blazing down the stretch to win the major share of the purse. Charles S. Howard's Mioland, also named to run tomorrow, was third.

Mioland is weighted just one pound under Attention and Riverland with 122 pounds, including Jockey Wayne Wright.

Others named overnight to contest tomorrow's Dixie were A. J. Sackett's Tola Rose, also trained by Hirsch and carrying 111 pounds; Hal Price Headley's Anticlimax 113, and Equinox 104; Hazel M. Babylon's Abbe Pierre, 107; Greentree stable's Corydon 107; and Mrs. Ray Feinberg's Firebroom, 113.

Attention and Riverland have not met before, the former having been retired last season after his third-place finish in the Massachusetts Handicap on July 15.

## OPA INSPECTORS WILL CHECK CARS AT RACES

PAWTUCKET, R. I., April 30.—(AP)—Fifty OPA inspectors from Massachusetts will join 20 from Rhode Island today in checking the registration numbers of automobiles parked in the vicinity of the Narragansett park horse racing track.

The Bay State inspectors will be assigned to jotting down the numbers of Massachusetts cars at or near the track, which is located about three miles from the Massachusetts border.

Aid of the Massachusetts OPA was requested by Christopher Del Sesto, Rhode Island OPA director, after the track refused to close its parking area.

Prior to 1820, when it was admitted as a state, Maine was a part of Massachusetts, though geographically separated from it.

# COLLEGE SPORTS OUTLOOK BETTER

## Commissioner Says Tom Harmon's Escape Boost To Need Of Athletics

By Dave Hoff

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—The continuation of college athletics is more certain now than it was a year ago, Major John L. Griffith, athletic commissioner of the Western conference, declared today.

Griffith said he based his conclusions on several generally known facts and others which he was not at liberty to disclose.

"For one thing," he said, "the public knows now that our college athletic facilities designed for peacetime can be of value to the war effort. The testimony of boys like Michigan's Tommy Harmon, who credited his football legs for his survival after his plane crashed in a jungle, is helping to prove this.

"These boys say their sports conditioning enables them to get out of tight places alive and is helpful to them in actual fighting."

Griffith said that all Western conference schools, as well as Notre Dame and several other midwest independents, are making sure their spring sports programs go through. He declared that although few of the nine football-playing Big Ten members have any idea of what gridders will be available by next fall, they intend to engage in the fullest possible schedule of games.

"Our greatest contribution will be not morale, or recreation, or play, but conditioning and training men for the armed forces," he said.

"A year ago many people thought the continuance of our college football and basketball meant there would be deferments from military service for the boys who competed. Now everyone understands our athletes couldn't be deferred if we wanted it, which we don't.

"We must keep in mind the huge investment in athletic equipment of our thousand colleges and our 28,000 high schools. They have spent millions of dollars to build swimming pools, gymnasiums, and stadiums, and have the trained personnel available to operate this equipment—men who are too old to be in active service but who are not too old to do an outstanding job of training younger boys as potential officer candidates."

## P. K. WRIGLEY SINKS $100,000 IN EFFORT TO ORGANIZE GIRLS

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—Philip K. Wrigley, owner of the Chicago Cubs, has peeled off $100,000 to organize a glamor circuit called the All-America Girls Softball league.

"The need for additional recreation in towns busy with war defense work prompted the idea," he said.

He has sent talent scouts to hunt down beauty as well as playing ability. Trials have been held in at least 10 midwestern and southwestern cities, and the search has reached as far as Canada to sign players for salaries ranging from $50 to $80 a week.

Upwards of 100 girls will report at Chicago's Wrigley field May 17 for spring training and will get paid for it. Sixty will be selected, 15 going to each of the four teams in the league. A 100-game schedule, including many exhibitions at navy and army bases, will start May 30.

Racine and Kenosha in Wisconsin already have been selected as league members. Each will start out with $45,000 bank accounts made up from their guarantee funds of $22,500 which were matched by the league.

"The league is a non-profit venture," explained Wrigley. "Proceeds will be used to expand. We eventually hope to build a structure of minor leagues. The league itself will control the players, rather than the clubs, to maintain a balance of talent assuring close competition.

Revolutionary softball rules have been adopted to speed up play, and each team will have its girls arrayed in pink, blue, green or yellow uniforms with three-quarter-length flair skirts.

Trustees of the league are Wrigley, Branch Rickey, president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, and Paul V. Harper, attorney for the Cubs. Ken Sells, former assistant to the Cubs general manager is president.

## Sports Trail

By Whitney Martin

NEW YORK, April 30.—(AP)—As far as we know Ernie Lombardi is the first player ever to be traded for two players and a ball game, and he probably will be the last, as we can't imagine future deals sprouting from such offers as "I'll give you three players and two games for so-and-so."

Not that the New York Giants planned it that way. The ball game apparently was just the fine print at the bottom of the contract that nobody reads, but which keeps you from getting a cent unless your house caught fire from a Boy Scout rubbing two sticks together.

That is, Horace Stoneham wouldn't have known when he sent Connie Ryan and Hugh Poland to the Boston Braves for big Lom that Connie would take a victory away from the Giants with a three-run ninth-inning homer.

But that's just what happened, and now that the Braves' hidden profit has been uncovered the Giants can settle down and try to figure just where their profit will come. We have an idea it will be a pretty substantial profit. Probably not enough to bring them a championship as, although Lombardi can more than replace Harry Danning, he can't be expected to replace both Harry Danning and Johnny Mize. Judging from his 235 pounds he's gaining on that goal.

Based purely on last year's preformance and ignoring the fact that Lombardi twice led the National league in hitting and once was chosen the most valuable player, here's how he and Danning stack up:

Lombardi was in 105 games, got 14 doubles, 11 home runs, batted in 46 runs, hit .330. Danning was in 119 games, got 20 doubles, three triples, one home run, batted in 34 runs and hit .279.

It is readily seen that in losing Danning and gaining Lombardi the Giants make a profit, and the profit looms as even greater when the playing fields are taken into consideration, as the 279-foot left field is just a nudge for old Schnozzola. He was aiming for a 350-foot barrier at Braves field.

Lombardi, who can run in one place longer than Tobacco Road, needs just such a setup as the Polo Grounds offer to make the most of his power-hitting talents, as ordinarily anything inside the park is good for no better than a single to him. Those 14 doubles he got last year would be inside-the-park home runs for most guys. But not so for a gent who has some difficulty beating out a hit over the center fielder's head.

Most of the comment concerning Lombardi deals with his slugging, overlooking the fact that as a catcher he is much better than a net. It's a safe bet that Bill McKechnie wouldn't have had him in there for several years handling such top-hole chuckers as Bucky Walters and Paul Derringer and Johnny Vander Meer if Lombardi didn't know the score.

He just squats back there like a huge, lazy toad, even throwing from that position. But he has such power in his wing that there is no better catcher in baseball at picking men off first.

Bucky Walters, enthusing over the catching virtues of old Eaglebeak, told us once:

"The man's a marvel. He'll reach out with his bare hand and catch my fast one. All you have to do is to get it within his reach and he'll get it."

We don't think he'll mean the pennant to the hard-hit Giants, as previously remarked. But you can't laugh off a team that has the big guy and Mel Ott in the lineup.

British Overseas Airways, to maintain empire air communications, are at present operating routes extending over 40,000 miles. During this year they will fly a distance equal to more than 321 times around the world at the equator.

## OLD EAGLE EYE

Emmett Red Ormsby, old American league umpire, continues to call shots as sergeant of Chicago highway police.

## $50,000 OFFERED JACK TO SIGN FOR BOUT WITH WHITE

LOS ANGELES, April 30.—(AP)—If Beau Jack wants to make $50,000 almost as fast as he can say Beau Jack, all he has to do, says a Los Angeles boxing syndicate, is fight a Baltimore negro, Luther (Slugger) White.

Promoters here see little chance of prying the former Georgia shoe shine boy away from Uncle Mike Jacobs and New York's garden, mainly because White right now appears to be the most ominous of all the lightweight title claimants.

But the offer, they say, is $10,000 for Beau Jack to sign for 12 rounds and $40,000 more hours before the fight, which would be staged at twilight some night this summer at Wrigley field.

If this doesn't materialize, and it won't, Hammerin' Hank Armstrong may essay the task of stopping White. Sam Lampe, White's manager, says he has an oral agreement with George Moore, Armstrong's handler, for a bout here after Hank completes that rematch with Beau Jack in June for Jacobs.

In any event, there will be lots of action in Los Angeles this summer among the lightweights. Three of the best are campaigning here—White, Willie Joyce, the Gary, Ind., phantom, and the Mexican champ, Juan Zurita.

Zurita and White probably will get together next month in the first bout of what the California athletic commission hopes will become an elimination tournament to decide the championship. Beau Jack is recognized in New York as the titleholder, and White is the Maryland boxing commission's nominee because of his 12-round decision January 4 over Joyce.

## GRAYSON'S SCOREBOARD

By Harry Grayson

(NEA Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, April 30.—(AP)—When the Yankees withdrew from snow-bound and windswept Asbury park suffering from chilblains and the sniffles to drop six straight exhibition games to major league clubs—five to the Dodgers and another to the Braves—baseball writers wrote about the fall of an empire, the end of an era.

You read that the New Yorks, winners of six of the last seven American league pennants, seven of the last 11, 10 of the last 17 and 13 of the last 22, had cracked up like the one-hoss shay.

Gone were the great Joe DiMaggio and his outfielding partner, Tommy Henrich. Absent were Phil Rizzuto, the shortstopping magician, and capable Red Rolfe. Frank Crosetti, who could fill in for both, would get a late start because he shoved an umpire in the World Series. Buddy Hassett would be missed. The Rupperts no longer had the steadying influence of Rufus the Red Ruffing in the box. Bill Dickey could not go on forever and the Yankees had lost three-quarters of their infield and two-thirds of their outfield.

It was just too bad Joe McCarthy could no longer lean back in the dugout and turn on a cluster of runs whenever he chose to. Yes, the Bronx Bombers had finally come back to the field.

So what happened? Well, the Yankees who couldn't win an exhibition game promptly launched a winning streak when the real firing commenced and while playing themselves into shape.

What the critics overlooked was that neither Charley Keller nor Catcher Dickey and his big stick participated in the losing exhibition string.

The weather practically shut out the Yankees as far as work was concerned at Asbury Park. The club puffed its way through the exhibitions and into the regular campaign with muscles aching.

Once the outfit settled into something approaching its real stride, however, it was discovered that the Yankees had done a better job in the way of lining up replacements than any other big league organization.

George Stirnweiss and Bill Johnson cover the left side of the infield like a net. Snuffy Stirnweiss is going to be an even more skillful shortston when he works off the surplus flesh which, due to his peculiar stocky build, accumulates around his chest.

The outfield, with King Kong Keller, Tuck Stainback, Ray Weatherly, Johnny Lindell and Bud Metheny, is satisfactory under the circumstances. Nick Etten will do at first base. There was never any question about the pitching.

Senators have little more than an outfield, the Red Sox no outfield at all and the Atheltics are even worse than usual.

So with the longer wartime series and only three intersectional trips, the Yankees are likely to go west for the first time May 12 with a commanding lead and certainly in condition to tackle the stronger western clubs.

By now the scribes have found that their obituaries were a bit premature.

Reports on the sad situation of the Yankees were grossly exaggerated.

## SOUTHERN

### LOOKOUTS EDGE VOLS

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 30.—(AP)—Chattancoga came through with a tenth inning score to down the Nashville Vols 7 to 6 in a nip and tuck game here today.

Smut Aderholt hit a home run in the ninth inning with one on to wipe out Nashville's 6-4 lead and tie the score. Going into the tenth, Roberts hit his third double of the play scoring Kvasnak with the winning run.

Bucky Jacobs went the route for Chattanooga, giving up 9 hits. Gassaway, who was relieved by Singer in the tenth, allowed 15 hits.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chattanooga | .... | 001 | 200 | 012 | 1—7 | 15 | 1 |
| Nashville | ..... | 300 | 011 | 100 | 0—6 | 9 | 4 |

Jacobs and Lane; Gassaway and Kreitner.

### CRAX WHIP SMOKIES

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., April 30.—(AP)—Atlanta's Crackers fell hard upon the pitching of Knoxville's Herb Anderson in the first two innings today to garner enough runs for victory and evened the series with the Smokies at one apiece. The final score was 9 to 4.

Cecil Treadway blasted a two-run homer off Anderson for the payoff blow in the second inning and faulty fielding helped the Crackers to run up the score later on.

Lou Flick hit a home run for Knoxville in the third frame.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Atlanta | ..... | 230 | 011 | 200 | —9 | 16 | 1 |
| Knoxville | ..... | 011 | 002 | 000 | —4 | 9 | 3 |

Ayers and Lietz; Anderson, Ogden (6), O'Neill (8), and Finley.

### CHICKS CHECK BARONS

MEMPHIS, April 30.—(AP)—Left-handed Weldon West tamed the boisterous Birmingham Bats here tonight and his Memphis mates cooperated offensively to furnish him a 5 to 1 victory.

Although he gave up 12 safeties, three more than the Chicks obtained, West kept the blows well scattered and was in command all the way. He struck out six.

The Chicks shelled the Barons' Bob Ferguson from the mound in the fourth. Bill Kramer aid the most damage with a triple, scoring two runs and a single.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Birmingham | ..... | 000 | 100 | 000 | —1 | 12 | 2 |
| Memphis | ..... | 003 | 100 | 10x | —5 | 9 | 0 |

Ferguson, Baker (4) Murray (7) and Smith, Riddle; West and O'Neil.

### PELS STOP TRAYS

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—(AP)—The New Orleans Pelicans came to life at the plate tonight and batted out 14 hits for a 9 to 3 victory over the Little Rock Travelers.

Jesse Danna, New Orleans southpaw, went the route for the victors, and, except for the sixth inning when Cliff Bolton's home run inside the park scored Howard Cantrell and Fred Hancock, kept 10 Little Rock hits well scattered.

Jack Bolling and George Hausman led the Pelican attack, getting three hits each.

The teams meet here again tomorrow afternoon.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Little Rock | ..... | 000 | 003 | 000 | —3 | 10 | 1 |
| New Orleans | ..... | 303 | 003 | 00x | —9 | 14 | 1 |

Greer, Fausett (6) Lussier (8) and Bolton; Danna and Cummings.

## Tullos

Corporal J. H. Sanders of Amarillo, Texas, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Miss Berniece Whittington of Monroe visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Burrus Wednesday.

Mrs. Jules Watts and children of Shreveport are visiting Mrs. Watts' mother, Mrs. M. W. Fife, and Mr. Fife.

## RIVER STAGES

| Stations. | Present Stage | 24-Hour Change |
|---|---|---|
| MISSISSIPPI | | |
| St. Louis | 30.2 | 0.3 Rise |
| Memphis | 28.0 | 0.6 Rise |
| Helena | 34.2 | 0.8 Rise |
| Arkansas City | 28.2 | 0.6 Rise |
| Vicksburg | 26.7 | 0.5 Rise |
| Natchez | 32.9 | 0.4 Rise |
| Baton Rouge | 26.0 | 0.1 Rise |
| OUACHITA | | |
| Camden | 15.9 | 1.8 Fall |
| Monroe | 25.8 | 0.2 Fall |
| OHIO | | |
| Pittsburgh | 16.8 | 0.0 |
| Cincinnati | 26.1 | 3.9 Fall |
| Cairo | 42.8 | 0.2 Rise |
| TENNESSEE | | |
| Chattanooga | 11.8 | 0.2 Fall |
| CUMBERLAND | | |
| Nashville | 22.5 | 5.5 Fall |
| ARKANSAS | | |
| Little Rock | 3.2 | 0.2 Fall |
| RED | | |
| Shreveport | 14.4 | 1.1 Fall |
| Alexandria | 13.6 | 1.5 Fall |

# MARKETS

### MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK April 30.—(AP)—Stocks steady; profit-cashing limits advance. Bonds even; rails improve. Cotton quiet; liquidation absorbed through price-fixing.

CHICAGO—Wheat closed 1-8—3-4 lower on suspension of import quotas. Corn closed unchanged at ceilings. Hogs steady to 10 cents higher; top $14.75; curtailed shipments. Cattle steady; top $16.00; supplies limited.

## COTTON

### New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—(AP)—Week-end long liquidation caused easiness in cotton futures here today. The market closed steady 25 cents a bale lower to 5 cents higher.

| | Open | High | Low | Close | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 20.48 | 20.50 | 20.45 | 20.47 | up 1 |
| Jly. | 20.30 | 20.31 | 20.26 | 20.26 | off 3 |
| Oct. | 20.15 | 20.15 | 20.13 | 20.13 | off 3 |
| Dec. | 20.09 | 20.10 | 20.06 | 20.06 | off 5 |
| Jan. | 20.06b | ..... | ..... | 20.04b | |
| Mch. | 20.07 | 20.07 | 20.05 | 20.05 | off 3 |
| May (1944) | | | | | |
| | 20.03b | ..... | ..... | 20.02b | |

### SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady 25 cents a bale lower. Sales 2,639. Low middling 16.60, middling 20.85, good middling 21.30, receipts 3,680, stock 203,219.

### AVERAGE COTTON PRICE

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths-inch cotton today at ten designated southern spot markets was 20 cents a bale lower at 20.12 cents a pound; average for the past 30 market days 20.21; middling 7-8ths-inch average 20.19.

### New York

NEW YORK, April 30.—(AP)—The cotton market was quiet today as traders awaited further developments on the CCC cotton selling program and the outcome of the coal dispute.

Scattered liquidation and hedge selling was absorbed through trade price fixing.

Late afternoon values were unchanged to 20 cents a bale lower. May 20.19, July 19.96 and October 19.85.

Futures closed uncnanged to 25 cents a bale lower.

| | Open | High | Low | Last | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 20.18 | 20.19 | 20.17 | 20.19 | unch. |
| Jly. | 19.98 | 20.00 | 19.95 | 19.95 | off 5 |
| Oct. | 19.83 | 19.86 | 19.80 | 19.81 | off 5 |
| Dec. | 19.79 | 19.79 | 19.76 | 19.76N | off 5 |
| Mch. | 19.76 | 19.76 | 19.75 | 19.75 | off 5 |

Middling spot 21.96N off 4.

## CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—Suspension of import quotas on wheat and wheat flour eased bread cereal prices today, although activity continued light and there was no rush to sell. Presidential action in removing quota restrictions was expected to bring in more Canadian wheat and at Winnipeg the grain jumped more than a cent.

At the close wheat was 1-8 to 3-4 lower, May $1.43 7-8 to 3-4, July $1.43 1-4 to 3-8, corn was unchanged at ceilings, May $1.05, oats 1-8 lower to 3-8 higher, and rye 1-8 lower to 1-8 higher.

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT | | | | |
| May | 1.44-1.43⅞ | 1.44 | 1.43⅜ | 1.43⅞-¾ |
| July | 1.43¾-⅝ | 1.43⅝ | 1.43 | 1.43¼-⅜ |
| Sept. | 1.44⅛ | 1.44⅜ | 1.44 | 1.44⅛-.44 |
| Dec. | 1.46¼ | 1.46½ | 1.46¼ | 1.46⅜ |
| CORN | | | | |
| May | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1.05b |
| July | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1.05b |
| Sept. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1.07 |
| OATS | | | | |
| May | ..... | ..... | ..... | .63⅜-½ |
| July | ..... | ..... | ..... | .62⅞ |
| Sept. | ..... | ..... | ..... | .60⅞ |
| Dec. | ..... | ..... | ..... | .62⅞ |
| RYE | | | | |
| May | ..... | ..... | ..... | .85-85⅛ |
| July | ..... | ..... | ..... | .87⅞-88 |
| Sept. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 90⅛ |
| Dec. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 92⅞-93 |

## Livestock

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—(USDA)—Salable hogs 6,000; total 12,000; fairly active steady to 10 higher than Thursday's averages; most advance on weights 250 lbs. and over; good and choice 180-330 lbs. 14.60-70; top 14.75, few good and choice 140-150 lbs. 14.00-60; sows mostly 10 higher; good and choice 300-550 lbs. 14.40-60.

Salable cattle 1,500; salable calves 300; receipts very limited; steers and yearlings steady; bulk 14.00-16.00; good to choice 1,150 lbs. western fed steers topping at outside price; most beef cows 11.00-13.00; vealers fully steady at 15.00-16.00.

## Potatoes

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—Potatoes, total U. S. shipments 254; good demand; California Long White U. S. No. 1, 100 weight 4.74; Texas 50-pound sack Bliss Triumphs victory grade 3.09.

## HENRY ARMSTRONG STOPS SAVERIO TURIELLO IN 5TH

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Henry Armstrong, little "perpetual motion" of the prize ring, took another stop along the comeback trail tonight by scoring a fifth round technical knockout over Saverio Turiello, New York City.

The fight had been scheduled for ten rounds, but Turiello went down for the count of seven in the fourth, and in the fifth Armstrong sent him against the ropes twice, then floored him with a short right to the jaw. Turiello got up, but Referee Eddie Lafond thought he'd had enough.

Armstrong weighed 142; Turiello 147.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, April 30.—(AP)—Profit cashing occasionally stalled today's stock market but many favorites managed to override this hurdle and reach new high ground for the year or longer with gains of fractions to a point or more.

Activity dwindled after a fast opening in which large blocks of low and medium-priced issues changed hands at minor advances. Radio corporations came out on an 18,000-share deal, with International Telephone next on a 10,000-share trade. Transactions of 1,000 to 5,000 were numerous. Top marks were reduced in many instances near the close buy plus signs were widely distributed. Volume was around 1,400,000 shares.

Bonds were relatively steady. At Chicago wheat was off 1-8 to 3-4 of a cent a bushel. Cotton, toward the finish, was down 5 to 20 cents a bale.

(FINAL QUOTATIONS)

| | |
|---|---|
| Air Reduction | 43⅛ |
| Allied Chemical & Dye | 157¼ |
| Allied Stores | 10⅝ |
| Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing | 35¼ |
| American Can | 81 |
| American Car & Foundry | 35¼ |
| American & Foreign Power | 4⅜ |
| American Locomotive | 14⅛ |
| American Power & Light | 2¼ |
| American Rolling Mills | 13¾ |
| American Smelting & Refining | 43¾ |
| American Sugar Refining | 25½ |
| American Tel & Tel | 148¼ |
| American Tobacco B | 55 |
| American Water Works | 8¼ |
| Anaconda | 23⅛ |
| Atchison T & S F | 54¼ |
| Aviation Corporation | 5⅞ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 9¼ |
| Barnsdall Oil | 17¼ |
| Bendix Aviation | 38¼ |
| Bethlehem Steel | 64½ |
| Boeing Airplane | 19 |
| Borden Company | 26⅝ |
| Bucyrus Erie | 8¾ |
| Budd Manufacturing | 9 |
| Calumet & Hecla | 8¼ |
| Canadian Pacific | 10 |
| Case J I Company | 109½ |
| Celanese Corporation | 38¾ |
| Cerro De Pasco | 39⅛ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 44⅜ |
| Chrysler Corporation | 74½ |
| Coca-Cola | 153¼ |
| Columbia Gas & Electric | 5⅝ |
| Commercial Solvents | 14⅛ |
| Commonwealth & Southern | ⅝ |
| Consolidated Coppermine | 5⅞ |
| Consolidated Oil | 10⅝ |
| Continental Can | 30¾ |
| Continental Motors | 6⅜ |
| Continental Oil Delaware | 34 |
| Corn Products | 58¼ |
| Cuban American Sugar | 9⅞ |
| Curtiss Wright | 8⅞ |
| Curtiss Wright A | 23¾ |
| Deere & Company | 34¾ |
| Douglas Aircraft | 71½ |
| Du Pont De Nemours | 144⅝ |
| Eastman Kodak | 162¼ |
| Electric Auto Lite | 35¼ |
| Electric Boat | 12⅞ |
| Electric Power & Light | 4¼ |
| Endicott Johnson | 50⅞ |
| Engineering Public Service | 6¾ |
| Firestone Tire & Rubber | 35¾ |
| Freeport Sulphur | 35⅞ |
| General Electric | 36⅜ |
| General Foods | 37¾ |
| General Motors | 50⅝ |
| Gillette Safety Razor | 8¾ |
| Godrich B F Company | 19¾ |
| Goodyear Tire & Rubber | 37⅛ |
| Great Northern Railway pf | 30 |
| Greyhound Corporation | 17¼ |
| Hudson Motors | 8⅝ |
| Illinois Central | 15 |
| International Harvester | 68 |
| International Nickel Can | 33⅜ |
| International Tel & Tel | 13¼ |
| Johns-Manville Products | 83¾ |
| Kansas City Southern | 9⅞ |
| Kennecott Copper | 33⅛ |
| Kroger Grocery | 30¾ |
| Libby-Owens-Ford Glass | 35¼ |
| Liggett & Myers Tobacco B | 67⅜ |
| Lockheed Aircraft | 22⅞ |
| Loew's Incorporated | 54⅞ |
| Long Bell Lumber A | 9½ |
| Lorillard P | 18¾ |
| Louisville & Nashville | 72 |
| Masonite Corporation | 32¾ |
| Mathieson Alkali | 25 |
| McCelland Stores | 9⅞ |
| Menge1 Company | 7¾ |
| Montgomery Ward | 41¼ |
| Nash-Kelvinator | 9¼ |
| National Biscuit | 20⅜ |
| National Can | 7⅞ |
| National Dairy Products | 18¼ |
| National Distillers | 30¼ |
| National Power & Light | 5⅞ |
| National Supply | 12⅞ |
| Newport Industries | 13¾ |
| New York Central Railroad | 15⅝ |
| North American Company | 16⅞ |
| Northern Pacific | 19⅛ |
| Otis Elevator | 4¾ |
| Packard Motor | 3⅛ |
| Pan American Airways | 25 |
| Paramount Picture | 90 |
| Penney J C | 23⅞ |
| Pennsylvania Railroad | 48½ |
| Phillips Petroleum | 17¾ |
| Pure Oil | 10⅞ |
| Radio Corporation of America | 12⅞ |
| Remington Rand | 17⅛ |
| Republic Steel | 27¼ |
| Reynolds Tobacco B | 9¾ |
| Richfield Oil | 35¼ |
| Schenley Distiller | 63⅛ |
| Sears Roebuck | 28¾ |
| Shell Union Oil | 24⅜ |
| Simmons Company | 12⅞ |
| Socony Vacuum | 11⅝ |
| Southern Pacific | 28⅛ |
| Southern Railway pf | 35¼ |
| Sperry Corporation | 7 |
| Standard Brands | 36⅞ |
| Standard Oil California | 32⅝ |
| Standard Oil Indiana | 34⅜ |
| Standard Oil New Jersey | 9½ |
| Stone & Webster | 11⅞ |
| Studebaker | 24⅛ |
| Swift & Company | 48⅛ |
| Texas Company | 39½ |
| Texas Gulf Sulphur | 32¼ |
| Tidewater A Oil | 13¾ |
| Timken-Det Axle | 46½ |
| Timken Roller Bearing | 52⅝ |
| Union Carbide | 19 |
| Union Oil California | 24⅛ |
| United Air Lines | 36⅞ |
| United Aircraft | 1 |
| United Corporation | 12¾ |
| United Drug | 6⅞ |
| United Fruit | 12⅞ |
| United Gas Imperial | 8⅛ |
| United States Rubber | 35⅝ |
| United States Smelt R & M | 58 |
| United States Steel | 58¾ |
| Vanadium Corporation | 23¼ |
| Warner Brothers Picture | 13¼ |
| Wesson O & S | 29½ |
| Western Union Telegraph | 32¼ |
| Westinghouse Air Brake | 21¼ |
| Westinghouse Electric & Mfg | 33½ |
| Woolworth | 35⅜ |

## Butter And Eggs

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—Butter, receipts 613,214; steady; prices as quoted by the Chicago price current are unchanged.

Eggs, receipts 29,687; firm; current receipts 33 3-4; other prices unchanged.

## Poultry

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—Poultry, live; 1 truck; firm; prices unchanged.

## DAILY COTTON TABLE

| Port movement: | Midlg. | Rects. | Sales | Stocks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Orleans | 20.85 | 3,660 | 2,639 | 203,219 |
| Galveston | 20.86 | 624 | 15 | 968,844 |
| Houston | 20.87 | 1,542 | 2,557 | 850,361 |
| Mobile | ..... | ..... | ..... | 66,885 |
| Savannah | 21.45 | 596 | 310 | 111,142 |
| Charleston | 21.44 | ..... | ..... | 22,090 |
| Norfolk | ..... | ..... | ..... | 35,581 |
| New York | 21.96 | ..... | 400 | 8,518 |
| Boston | ..... | ..... | ..... | 5,358 |
| Corpus Christi | ..... | ..... | ..... | 62,837 |
| Minor ports | ..... | ..... | ..... | 225,685 |
| Total Friday | ..... | 6,442 | 5,721 | 2,880,188 |
| Total for week | ..... | 37,587 | ..... | ..... |
| Total for season | ..... | 2,430,646 | ..... | ..... |

| Interior movement: | Midlg | Rects. | Shpts. | Sales | Stocks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Memphis | 20.95 | ..... | ..... | 5,183 | ..... |
| Augusta | 21.35 | 162 | 3,780 | 955 | 150,972 |
| Little Rock | 20.95 | 859 | 554 | ..... | 96,296 |
| Dallas | 20.95 | ..... | ..... | 1,824 | ..... |
| Montgomery | 21.30 | ..... | ..... | 215 | ..... |
| Total Friday | ..... | 971 | 4,334 | 8,167 | 247,268 |


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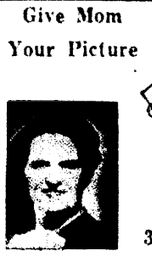
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## CORRECTION

In the ad of the Frances Hotel in Friday's News-Star it was stated that admission to the Saturday night dance would be $1.10 per couple.

This was an error. The admission price is $1.10 PER PERSON.

# AME 9 STARTERS N DIXIE HANDICAP

## ntion, Riverland Get Chief Support For Pimlico's Big Event

By Donald Sanders

ALTIMORE, April 30.—(AP)—A field me distance stars was named today st the $20,000-Added Dixie which will feature the racing at Pimlico tomorrow, with rly support centering on Riv- and Attention, two of the stead- rformers in the handicap ranks. e two members of the We-Beat- away club will carry top weight pounds each in the 40th renewal mile and three-sixteenths Dixie. land, racing for the Louisiana n stables of Harold A. Clark, will ridden by Steve Brooks. Georgie (the Iceman) Woolf will have the mount on Attention, the Equipoise son now racing in the silks of Trainer Max Hirsch, who leased him from the Mrs. Parker Corning estate.

Attention ran second in the 1942 renewal of the Dixie, which produced one of the most thrilling contests of the Maryland racing years as Whirlaway came blazing down the stretch to win the major share of the purse. Charles S. Howard's Mioland, also named to run tomorrow, was third.

Mioland is weighted just one pound under Attention and Riverland with 122 pounds, including Jockey Wayne Wright.

Others named overnight to contest tomorrow's Dixie were A. J. Sackett's Tola Rose, also trained by Hirsch and carrying 111 pounds; Hal Price Headley's Anticlimax 113, and Equinox 104; Hazel M. Babylon's Abbe Pierre, 107; Greentree stable's Corydon 107; and Mrs. Ray Feinberg's Firebroom, 113.

Attention and Riverland have not met before, the former having been retired last season after his third-place finish in the Massachusetts Handicap on July 15.

## OPA INSPECTORS WILL CHECK CARS AT RACES

PAWTUCKET, R. I., April 30.—(AP)—Fifty OPA inspectors from Massachusetts will join 20 from Rhode Island today in checking the registration numbers of automobiles parked in the vicinity of the Narragansett park horse racing track.

The Bay State inspectors will be assigned to jotting down the numbers of Massachusetts cars at or near the track, which is located about three miles from the Massachusetts border.

Aid of the Massachusetts OPA was requested by Christopher Del Sesto, Rhode Island OPA director, after the track refused to close its parking area.

Prior to 1820, when it was admitted as a state, Maine was a part of Massachusetts, though geographically separated from it.

# COLLEGE SPORTS OUTLOOK BETTER

## Commissioner Says Tom Harmon's Escape Boost To Need Of Athletics

By Dave Hoff

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—The continuation of college athletics is more certain now than it was a year ago, Major John L. Griffith, athletic commissioner of the Western conference, declared today.

Griffith said he based his conclusions on several generally known facts and others which he was not at liberty to disclose.

"For one thing," he said, "the public knows now that our college athletic facilities designed for peacetime can be of value to the war effort. The testimony of boys like Michigan's Tommy Harmon, who credited his football legs for his survival after his plane crashed in a jungle, is helping to prove this.

"These boys say their sports conditioning enables them to get out of tight places alive and is helpful to them in actual fighting."

Griffith said that all Western conference schools, as well as Notre Dame and several other midwest independents, are making sure their spring sports programs go through. He declared that although few of the nine football-playing Big Ten members have any idea of what gridders will be available by next fall, they intend to engage in the fullest possible schedule of games.

"Our greatest contribution will be not morale, or recreation, or play, but conditioning and training men for the armed forces," he said.

"A year ago many people thought the continuance of our college football and basketball meant there would be deferments from military service for the boys who competed. Now everyone understands our athletes couldn't be deferred if we wanted it, which we don't.

"We must keep in mind the huge investment in athletic equipment of our thousand colleges and our 28,000 high schools. They have spent millions of dollars to build swimming pools, gymnasiums, and stadiums, and have the trained personnel available to operate this equipment—men who are too old to be in active service but who are not too old to do an outstanding job of training younger boys as potential officer candidates."

## P. K. WRIGLEY SINKS $100,000 IN EFFORT TO ORGANIZE GIRLS

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—Philip K. Wrigley, owner of the Chicago Cubs, has peeled off $100,000 to organize a glamor circuit called the All-America Girls Softball league.

"The need for additional recreation in towns busy with war defense work prompted the idea," he said.

He has sent talent scouts to hunt down beauty as well as playing ability. Trials have been held in at least 10 midwestern and southwestern cities, and the search has reached as far as Canada to sign players for salaries ranging from $50 to $80 a week.

Upwards of 100 girls will report at Chicago's Wrigley field May 17 for spring training and will get paid for it. Sixty will be selected, 15 going to each of the four teams in the league. A 100-game schedule, including many exhibitions at navy and army bases, will start May 30.

Racine and Kenosha in Wisconsin already have been selected as league members. Each will start out with $45,000 bank accounts made up from their guarantee funds of $22,500 which were matched by the league.

"The league is a non-profit venture," explained Wrigley. "Proceeds will be used to expand. We eventually hope to build a structure of minor leagues. The league itself will control the players, rather than the clubs, to maintain a balance of talent assuring close competition.

Revolutionary softball rules have been adopted to speed up play, and each team will have its girls arrayed in pink, blue, green or yellow uniforms with three-quarter-length flair skirts.

Trustees of the league are Wrigley, Branch Rickey, president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, and Paul V. Harper, attorney for the Cubs. Ken Sells, former assistant to the Cubs general manager is president.

## Sports Trail

By Whitney Martin

NEW YORK, April 30.—(AP)—As far as we know Ernie Lombardi is the first player ever to be traded for two players and a ball game, and he probably will be the last, as we can't imagine future deals sprouting from such offers as "I'll give you three players and two games for so-and-so."

Not that the New York Giants planned it that way. The ball game apparently was just the fine print at the bottom of the contract that nobody reads, but which keeps you from getting a cent unless your house caught fire from a Boy Scout rubbing two sticks together.

That is, Horace Stoneham wouldn't have known when he sent Connie Ryan and Hugh Poland to the Boston Braves for big Lom that Connie would take a victory away from the Giants with a three-run ninth-inning homer.

But that's just what happened, and now that the Braves' hidden profit has been uncovered the Giants can settle down and try to figure just where their profit will come. We have an idea it will be a pretty substantial profit. Probably not enough to bring them a championship as, although Lombardi can more than replace Harry Danning, he can't be expected to replace both Harry Danning and Johnny Mize. Judging from his 235 pounds he's gaining on that goal.

Based purely on last year's preformance and ignoring the fact that Lombardi twice led the National league in hitting and once was chosen the most valuable player, here's how he and Danning stack up:

Lombardi was in 105 games, got 14 doubles, 11 home runs, batted in 46 runs, hit .330. Danning was in 119 games, got 20 doubles, three triples, one home run, batted in 34 runs and hit .279.

It is readily seen that in losing Danning and gaining Lombardi the Giants make a profit, and the profit looms as even greater when the playing fields are taken into consideration, as the 279-foot left field is just a nudge for old Schnozzola. He was aiming for a 350-foot barrier at Braves field.

Lombardi, who can run in one place longer than Tobacco Road, needs just such a setup as the Polo Grounds offer to make the most of his power-hitting talents, as ordinarily anything inside the park is good for no better than a single to him. Those 14 doubles he got last year would be inside-the-park home runs for most guys. But not so for a gent who has some difficulty beating out a hit over the center fielder's head.

Most of the comment concerning Lombardi deals with his slugging, overlooking the fact that as a catcher he is much better than a net. It's a safe bet that Bill McKechnie wouldn't have had him in there for several years handling such top-hole chuckers as Bucky Walters and Paul Derringer and Johnny Vander Meer if Lombardi didn't know the score.

He just squats back there like a huge, lazy toad, even throwing from that position. But he has such power in his wing that there is no better catcher in baseball at picking men off first.

Bucky Walters, enthusing over the catching virtues of old Eaglebeak, told us once:

"The man's a marvel. He'll reach out with his bare hand and catch my fast one. All you have to do is to get it within his reach and he'll get it."

We don't think he'll mean the pennant to the hard-hit Giants, as previously remarked. But you can't laugh off a team that has the big guy and Mel Ott in the lineup.

British Overseas Airways, to maintain empire air communications, are at present operating routes extending over 40,000 miles. During this year they will fly a distance equal to more than 321 times around the world at the equator.

## OLD EAGLE EYE

Emmett Red Ormsby, old American league umpire, continues to call shots as sergeant of Chicago highway police.

## $50,000 OFFERED JACK TO SIGN FOR BOUT WITH WHITE

LOS ANGELES, April 30.—(AP)—If Beau Jack wants to make $50,000 almost as fast as he can say Beau Jack, all he has to do, says a Los Angeles boxing syndicate, is fight a Baltimore negro, Luther (Slugger) White.

Promoters here see little chance of prying the former Georgia shoe shine boy away from Uncle Mike Jacobs and New York's garden, mainly because White right now appears to be the most ominous of all the lightweight title claimants.

But the offer, they say, is $10,000 for Beau Jack to sign for 12 rounds and $40,000 more hours before the fight, which would be staged at twilight some night this summer at Wrigley field.

If this doesn't materialize, and it won't, Hammerin' Hank Armstrong may essay the task of stopping White. Sam Lampe, White's manager, says he has an oral agreement with George Moore, Armstrong's handler, for a bout here after Hank completes that rematch with Beau Jack in June for Jacobs.

In any event, there will be lots of action in Los Angeles this summer among the lightweights. Three of the best are campaigning here—White, Willie Joyce, the Gary, Ind., phantom, and the Mexican champ, Juan Zurita.

Zurita and White probably will get together next month in the first bout of what the California athletic commission hopes will become an elimination tournament to decide the championship. Beau Jack is recognized in New York as the titleholder, and White is the Maryland boxing commission's nominee because of his 12-round decision January 4 over Joyce.

## GRAYSON'S SCOREBOARD

By Harry Grayson
(NEA Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, April 30.—(AP)—When the Yankees withdrew from snow-bound and windswept Asbury park suffering from chilblains and the sniffles to drop six straight exhibition games to major league clubs—five to the Dodgers and another to the Braves—baseball writers wrote about the fall of an empire, the end of an era.

You read that the New Yorks, winners of six of the last seven American league pennants, seven of the last 11, 10 of the last 17 and 13 of the last 22, had cracked up like the one-hoss shay.

Gone were the great Joe DiMaggio and his outfielding partner, Tommy Henrich. Absent were Phil Rizzuto, the shortstopping magician, and capable Red Rolfe. Frank Crosetti, who could fill in for both, would get a late start because he shoved an umpire in the World Series. Buddy Hassett would be missed. The Rupperts no longer had the steadying influence of Rufus the Red Ruffing in the box. Bill Dickey could not go on forever and the Yankees had lost three-quarters of their infield and two-thirds of their outfield.

It was just too bad. Joe McCarthy could no longer lean back in the dugout and turn on a cluster of runs whenever he chose to. Yes, the Bronx Bombers had finally come back to the field.

So what happened? Well, the Yankees who couldn't win an exhibition game promptly launched a winning streak when the real firing commenced and while playing themselves into shape.

What the critics overlooked was that neither Charley Keller nor Catcher Dickey and his big stick participated in the losing exhibition string.

The weather practically shut out the Yankees as far as work was concerned at Asbury Park. The club puffed its way through the exhibitions and into the regular campaign with muscles aching.

Once the outfit settled into something approaching its real stride, however, it was discovered that the Yankees had done a better job in the way of lining up replacements than any other big league organization.

George Stirnweiss and Bill Johnson cover the left side of the infield like a net. Snuffy Stirnweiss is going to be an even more skillful shortston when he works off the surplus flesh which, due to his peculiar stocky build, accumulates around his chest.

The outfield, with King Kong Keller, Tuck Stainback, Roy Weatherly, Johnny Lindell and Bud Metheny, is satisfactory under the circumstances. Nick Etten will do at first base. There was never any question about the pitching.

Senators have little more than an outfield, the Red Sox no outfield at all and the Atheltics are even worse than usual.

So with the longer wartime series and only three intersectional trips, the Yankees are likely to go west for the first time May 12 with a commanding lead and certainly in condition to tackle the stronger western clubs.

By now the scribes have found that their obituaries were a bit premature.

Reports on the sad situation of the Yankees were grossly exaggerated.

## SOUTHERN

### LOOKOUTS EDGE VOLS

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 30.—(AP)—Chattanooga came through with a tenth inning score to down the Nashville Vols 7 to 6 in a nip and tuck game here today.

Smut Aderholt hit a home run in the ninth inning with one on to wipe out Nashville's 6-4 lead and tie the score. Going into the tenth, Roberts hit his third double of the play scoring Kvasnak with the winning run.

Bucky Jacobs went the route for Chattanooga, giving up 9 hits. Gassaway, who was relieved by Singer in the tenth, allowed 15 hits.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chattanooga | .... | 001 | 200 | 012 | 1—7 | 15 | 1 |
| Nashville | ..... | 300 | 011 | 100 | 0—6 | 9 | 4 |

Jacobs and Lane; Gassaway and Kreitner.

### CRAX WHIP SMOKIES

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., April 30.—(AP)—Atlanta's Crackers fell hard upon the pitching of Knoxville's Herb Anderson in the first two innings today to garner enough runs for victory and evened the series with the Smokies at one apiece. The final score was 9 to 4.

Cecil Treadway blasted a two-run homer off Anderson for the payoff blow in the second inning and faulty fielding helped the Crackers to run up the score later on.

Lou Flick hit a home run for Knoxville in the third frame.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Atlanta | ..... | 230 | 011 | 200—9 | 16 | 1 |
| Knoxville | ..... | 011 | 002 | 000—4 | 9 | 3 |

Ayers and Lietz; Anderson, Ogden (6), O'Neill (8), and Finley.

### CHICKS CHECK BARONS

MEMPHIS, April 30.—(AP)—Left-handed Weldon West tamed the boistercus Birmingham Bats here tonight and his Memphis mates cooperated offensively to furnish him a 5 to 1 victory.

Although he gave up 12 safeties, three more than the Chicks obtained, West kept the blows well scattered and was in command all the way. He struck out six.

The Chicks shelled the Barons' Bob Ferguson from the mound in the fourth. Bill Kramer did the most damage with a triple, scoring two runs, and a single.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Birmingham | ..... | 000 | 100 | 000—1 | 12 | 2 |
| Memphis | ..... | 003 | 100 | 10x—5 | 9 | 0 |

Ferguson, Baker (4) Murray (7) and Smith, Riddle; West and O'Neil.

### PELS STOP TRAVS

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—(AP)—The New Orleans Pelicans came to life at the plate tonight and batted out 14 hits for a 9 to 3 victory over the Little Rock Travelers.

Jesse Danna, New Orleans southpaw, went the route for the victors, and, except for the sixth inning when Cliff Bolton's home run inside the park scored Howard Cantrell and Fred Hancock, kept 10 Little Rock hits well scattered.

Jack Bolling and George Hausman led the Pelican attack, getting three hits each.

The teams meet here again tomorrow afternoon.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Little Rock | ..... | 000 | 003 | 000—3 | 10 | 1 |
| New Orleans | .... | 303 | 003 | 00x—9 | 14 | 1 |

Greer, Fausett (6) Luster (8) and Bolton; Danna and Cummings.

## Tullos

Corporal J. H. Sanders of Amarillo, Texas, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Miss Berniece Whittington of Monroe visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Burrus Wednesday.

Mrs. Jules Watts and children of Shreveport are visiting Mrs. Watts' mother, Mrs. M. W. Fife, and Mr. Fife.

## RIVER STAGES

| Stations. | Present Stage | 24-Hour Change |
|---|---|---|
| MISSISSIPPI | | |
| St. Louis | 20.2 | 0.3 Rise |
| Memphis | 28.0 | 0.6 Rise |
| Helena | 34.2 | 0.8 Rise |
| Arkansas City | 28.2 | 0.6 Rise |
| Vicksburg | 26.7 | 0.5 Rise |
| Natchez | 32.9 | 0.4 Rise |
| Baton Rouge | 26.0 | 0.1 Rise |
| OUACHITA | | |
| Camden | 13.9 | 1.8 Fall |
| Monroe | 25.8 | 0.2 Fall |
| OHIO | | |
| Pittsburgh | 16.8 | 0.0 |
| Cincinnati | 26.1 | 3.9 Fall |
| Cairo | 42.8 | 0.2 Rise |
| TENNESSEE | | |
| Chattanooga | 11.8 | 0.2 Fall |
| CUMBERLAND | | |
| Nashville | 22.5 | 5.5 Fall |
| ARKANSAS | | |
| Little Rock | 3.2 | 0.2 Fall |
| RED | | |
| Shreveport | 14.4 | 1.1 Fall |
| Alexandria | 19.6 | 1.5 Fall |

# MARKETS

### MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK April 30.—(AP)—Stocks steady; profit-cashing limits advance. Bonds even; rails improve. Cotton quiet; liquidation absorbed through price-fixing.

CHICAGO—Wheat closed 1-8—3-4 lower on suspension of import quotas. Corn closed unchanged at ceilings. Hogs steady to 10 cents higher; top $14.75; curtailed shipments. Cattle steady; top $16.00; supplies limited.

## COTTON

### New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—(AP)—Week-end long liquidation caused easiness in cotton futures here today. The market closed steady 25 cents a bale lower to 5 cents higher.

| | Open | High | Low | Close | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 20.48 | 20.50 | 20.45 | 20.47 | up 1 |
| Jly. | 20.30 | 20.31 | 20.26 | 20.26 | off 3 |
| Oct. | 20.15 | 20.15 | 20.13 | 20.13 | off 3 |
| Dec. | 20.09 | 20.10 | 20.06 | 20.06 | off 5 |
| Jan. | 20.06b | ..... | ..... | 20.04b | |
| Mch. | 20.07 | 20.07 | 20.05 | 20.05 | off 5 |
| May (1944) | | | | | |
| | 20.03b | ..... | ..... | 20.02b | |

### SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady 25 cents a bale lower. Sales 2,639. Low middling 16.60, middling 20.85, good middling 21.30, receipts 3,680, stock 203,219.

### AVERAGE COTTON PRICE

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths-inch cotton today at ten designated southern spot markets was 20 cents a bale lower at 20.12 cents a pound; average for the past 30 market days 20.21; middling 7-8ths-inch average 20.19.

### New York

NEW YORK, April 30.—(AP)—The cotton market was quiet today as traders awaited further developments on the CCC cotton selling program and the outcome of the coal dispute.

Scattered liquidation and hedge selling was absorbed through trade price fixing.

Late afternoon values were unchanged to 20 cents a bale lower. May 20.19, July 19.95 and October 19.85.

Futures closed unchanged to 25 cents a bale lower.

| | Open | High | Low | Last | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 20.18 | 20.19 | 20.17 | 20.19 | unch. |
| Jly. | 19.96 | 20.00 | 19.95 | 19.95 | off 5 |
| Oct. | 19.83 | 19.86 | 19.80 | 19.81 | off 5 |
| Dec. | 19.79 | 19.79 | 19.76 | 19.76N | off 5 |
| Mch. | 19.76 | 19.76 | 19.75 | 19.75 | off 5 |

Middling spot 21.96N off 4.

## CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—Suspension of import quotas on wheat and wheat flour eased bread cereal prices today, although activity continued light and there was no rush to sell. Presidential action in removing quota restrictions was expected to bring in more Canadian wheat and at Winnipeg the grain jumped more than a cent.

At the close wheat was 1-8 to 3-4 lower, May $1.43 7-8 to 3-4, July $1.43 1-4 to 3-8, corn was unchanged at ceilings, May $1.05, oats 1-8 lower to 3-8 higher, and rye 1-8 lower to 1-8 higher.

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT | | | | |
| May | 1.44-1.43⅞ | 1.44 | 1.43⅝ | 1.43⅞-¾ |
| July | 1.43¾-⅝ | 1.43⅝ | 1.43 | 1.43¼-⅜ |
| Sept. | 1.44⅜ | 1.44⅜ | 1.44 | 1.44⅛-.44 |
| Dec. | 1.46½ | 1.46½ | 1.45¾ | 1.45⅞ |
| CORN | | | | |
| May | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1.05b |
| July | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1.05b |
| Sept. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1.01 |
| OATS | | | | |
| May | ..... | ..... | ..... | .63⅝-½ |
| July | ..... | ..... | ..... | .61⅜ |
| Sept. | ..... | ..... | ..... | .60⅝ |
| Dec. | ..... | ..... | ..... | .62⅛ |
| RYE | | | | |
| May | ..... | ..... | ..... | .85-85⅛ |
| July | ..... | ..... | ..... | .87⅞-88 |
| Sept. | ..... | ..... | ..... | .90⅛ |
| Dec. | ..... | ..... | ..... | .92⅞-93 |

### Livestock

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—(USDA)—Salable hogs 6,000; total 12,000; fairly active steady to 70 higher than Thursday's averages; most advance on weights 250 lbs. and over; good and choice 180-330 lbs. 14.60-70; top 14.75; few good and choice 140-180 lbs. 14.00-60; sows mostly 10 higher; good and choice 360-550 lbs. 14.40-60.

Salable cattle 1,500; salable calves 300; receipts very limited; steers and yearlings steady; bulk 14.00-16.00; good to choice 1,150 lbs. western fed steers topping at outside price; most beef cows 11.00-13.00; vealers fully steady at 15.00-16.00.

### Potatoes

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—Potatoes, total U. S. shipments 254; good demand; California Long White U. S. No. 1, 100 weight 4.74; Texas 50-pound sack Bliss Triumphs victory grade 3.09.

## HENRY ARMSTRONG STOPS SAVERIO TURIELLO IN 5TH

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—Henry Armstrong, little "perpetual motion" of the prize ring, took another stop along the comeback trail tonight by scoring a fifth round technical knockout over Saverio Turiello, New York City.

The fight had been scheduled for ten rounds, but Turiello went down for the count of seven in the fourth, and in the fifth Armstrong sent him against the ropes twice, then floored him with a short right to the jaw. Turiello got up, but Referee Eddie Lafond thought he'd had enough.

Armstrong weighed 142; Turiello 147.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, April 30.—(AP)—Profit cashing occasionally stalled today's stock market but many favorites managed to override this hurdle and reach new high ground for the year or longer with gains of fractions to a point or more.

Activity dwindled after a fast opening in which large blocks of low and medium-priced issues changed hands at minor advances. Radio corporations came out on an 18,000-share deal, with International Telephone next on a 10,000-share trade. Transactions of 1,000 to 5,000 were numerous. Top marks were reduced in many instances near the close buy plus signs were widely distributed. Volume was around 1,400,000 shares.

Bonds were relatively steady. At Chicago wheat was off 1-8 to 3-4 of a cent a bushel. Cotton, toward the finish, was down 5 to 20 cents a bale.

(FINAL QUOTATIONS)

| | |
|---|---|
| Air Reduction | 43⅛ |
| Allied Chemical & Dye | 157¼ |
| Allied Stores | 10⅜ |
| Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing | 35¼ |
| American Can | 81 |
| American Car & Foundry | 35¼ |
| American & Foreign Power | 4⅜ |
| American Locomotive | 14⅛ |
| American Power & Light | 2¼ |
| American Rolling Mills | 13¾ |
| American Smelting & Refining | 43¾ |
| American Sugar Refining | 25½ |
| American Tel & Tel | 148¼ |
| American Tobacco B | 55 |
| American Water Works | 8¼ |
| Anaconda | 29⅛ |
| Atchison T & S F | 54¼ |
| Aviation Corporation | 5⅞ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 9⅛ |
| Barnsdall Oil | 17¼ |
| Bendix Aviation | 38¼ |
| Bethlehem Steel | 64½ |
| Boeing Airplane | 19 |
| Borden Company | 26⅝ |
| Bucyrus Erie | 8¾ |
| Budd Manufacturing | 99 |
| Calumet & Hecla | 5¼ |
| Canadian Pacific | 10 |
| Case J I Company | 109½ |
| Celanese Corporation | 38¼ |
| Cerro De Pasco | 39⅛ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 44⅜ |
| Chrysler Corporation | 74½ |
| Coca-Cola | 63¼ |
| Columbia Gas & Electric | 6⅝ |
| Commercial Solvents | 14⅜ |
| Commonwealth & Southern | ⅞ |
| Consolidated Coppermine | 5⅞ |
| Consolidated Oil | 10⅝ |
| Continental Can | 30⅝ |
| Continental Motors | 6⅜ |
| Continental Oil Delaware | 34 |
| Corn Products | 58¼ |
| Cuban American Sugar | 9⅞ |
| Curtiss Wright | 8⅞ |
| Curtiss Wright A | 23½ |
| Deere & Company | 34⅝ |
| Douglas Aircraft | 71½ |
| Du Pont De Nemours | 144⅝ |
| Eastman Kodak | 162¼ |
| Electric Auto Lite | 35¼ |
| Electric Boat | 12⅝ |
| Electric Power & Light | 4¼ |
| Endicott Johnson | 50⅞ |
| Engineering Public Service | 6⅝ |
| Firestone Tire & Rubber | 35¾ |
| Freeport Sulphur | 35⅞ |
| General Electric | 36⅜ |
| General Foods | 37⅛ |
| General Motors | 50⅜ |
| Gillette Safety Razor | 8¼ |
| Godrich B F Company | 39¼ |
| Goodyear Tire & Rubber | 37⅞ |
| Great Northern Railway pf | 30 |
| Greyhound Corporation | 17⅛ |
| Hudson Motors | 8⅝ |
| Illinois Central | 15 |
| International Harvester | 68 |
| International Nickel Can | 33⅜ |
| International Tel & Tel | 13¼ |
| Johns-Manville Products | 83¼ |
| Kansas City Southern | 9⅞ |
| Kennecott Copper | 32⅛ |
| Kroger Grocery | 30¼ |
| Libby-Owens-Ford Glass | 35¼ |
| Liggett & Myers Tobacco B | 67⅝ |
| Lockheed Aircraft | 32⅞ |
| Loew's Incorporated | 54⅞ |
| Long Bell Lumber A | 9½ |
| Lorillard P | 18⅝ |
| Louisville & Nashville | 72 |
| Masonite Corporation | 32¾ |
| Mathieson Alkali | 25 |
| McClelland Stores | 9⅞ |
| Mengel Company | 7¾ |
| Montgomery Ward | 41¼ |
| Nash-Kelvinator | 9¼ |
| National Biscuit | 20⅝ |
| National Can | 7⅞ |
| National Dairy Products | 18¼ |
| National Distillers | 30¼ |
| National Power & Light | 5¼ |
| National Supply | 12⅞ |
| Newport Industries | 13¾ |
| New York Central Railroad | 18⅝ |
| North American Company | 15⅝ |
| Northern Pacific | 16⅞ |
| Otis Elevator | 18⅞ |
| Packard Motor | 4¾ |
| Pan American Airways | 31⅜ |
| Paramount Picture | 25 |
| Penney J C | 90 |
| Pennsylvania Railroad | 29⅞ |
| Phillips Petroleum | 48⅛ |
| Pure Oil | 17⅝ |
| Radio Corporation of America | 10⅞ |
| Remington Rand | 14⅞ |
| Republic Steel | 17⅛ |
| Reynolds Tobacco B | 27⅞ |
| Richfield Oil | 9⅝ |
| Schenley Distiller | 35¼ |
| Sears Roebuck | 69⅛ |
| Shell Union Oil | 23¾ |
| Simmons Company | 24⅝ |
| Socony Vacuum | 12⅝ |
| Southern Pacific | 27⅛ |
| Southern Railway pf | 28⅛ |
| Sperry Corporation | 32¼ |
| Standard Brands | 7 |
| Standard Oil California | 36⅞ |
| Standard Oil Indiana | 32⅞ |
| Standard Oil New Jersey | 54¾ |
| Stone & Webster | 9½ |
| Studebaker | 11⅞ |
| Swift & Company | 24⅛ |
| Texas Company | 48⅞ |
| Texas Gulf Sulphur | 39½ |
| Tidewater A Oil | 13⅜ |
| Timken-Det Axle | 32¼ |
| Timken Roller Bearing | 46½ |
| Union Carbide | 82⅛ |
| Union Oil California | 19 |
| United Air Lines | 24⅜ |
| United Aircraft | 36⅛ |
| United Corporation | 1 |
| United Drug | 12⅛ |
| United Fruit | 61½ |
| United Gas Imperial | 8½ |
| United States Rubber | 39⅝ |
| United States Smelt R & M | 59 |
| United States Steel | 55⅞ |
| Vanadium Corporation | 21¼ |
| Warner Brothers Picture | 13⅜ |
| Wesson O & S | 22½ |
| Western Union Telegraph | 33¼ |
| Westinghouse Air Brake | 21¼ |
| Westinghouse Electric & Mfg | 93½ |
| Woolworth | 39⅝ |

## Butter And Eggs

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—Butter, receipts 613,214; steady; prices as quoted by the Chicago price current are unchanged.

Eggs, receipts 29,687; firm; current receipts 35 3-4; other prices unchanged.

## Poultry

CHICAGO, April 30.—(AP)—Poultry, live; 1 truck; firm; prices unchanged.

## DAILY COTTON TABLE

| Port movement: | Midlg. | Rects. | Sales | Stocks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Orleans | 20.85 | 3,669 | 2,639 | 203,219 |
| Galveston | 20.86 | 624 | 15 | 968,844 |
| Houston | 20.87 | 1,542 | 2,557 | 850,361 |
| Mobile | ..... | ..... | ..... | 66,885 |
| Savannah | 21.45 | 596 | 310 | 111,142 |
| Charleston | 21.44 | ..... | ..... | 22,090 |
| Norfolk | ..... | ..... | ..... | 35,581 |
| New York | 21.96 | ..... | 400 | 8,516 |
| Boston | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3,256 |
| Corpus Christi | ..... | ..... | ..... | 82,837 |
| Minor ports | ..... | ..... | ..... | 225,655 |
| Total Friday | ..... | 6,442 | 5,721 | 2,580,183 |
| Total for week | ..... | 37,587 | ..... | ..... |
| Total for season | ..... | 2,430,546 | ..... | ..... |

| Interior movement: | Midlg | Rects. | Shipts. | Sales | Stocks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Memphis | 20.95 | ..... | ..... | 5,163 | ..... |
| Augusta | 21.55 | 162 | 3,780 | 965 | 150,972 |
| Little Rock | 20.95 | 809 | 554 | ..... | 96,296 |
| Dallas | 20.95 | ..... | ..... | 1,824 | ..... |
| Montgomery | 21.30 | ..... | ..... | 215 | ..... |
| Total Friday | ..... | 971 | 4,334 | 8,167 | 347,268 |


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Marjorie Weaver
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SHE HAS WHAT IT TAKES
Sing and dance out those kinks with Vinx FALKENBURG
Tom Neal • Constance Worth
Rhodo Rogues and The Vagabonds
ADDED TREATS
Cartoon
"Spinach for Britain"
Short
"Plans for Destruction"
Roosevelt's Trip to Mexico
the Latest News Events
Late Show Tonite
DESPERADOES"
Ralph Scott ★ Glenn Ford
Trevor ★ Guinn Williams
Opens 11 P. M.

Open 9:45
CAPITOL
PHONE — 1704
25c Till 5; 9c-25c After 5
Today Only
"Tahiti Honey"
Starring
Simon ★ Denis O'Keefe
Plus
Serial—"Secret Code"
Cartoon—"5th Column Mouse"
SUNDAY AND MONDAY
BEAUTY PAYS ... for its pleasures!
IDA DENNIS JOAN
PINO • MORGAN • LESLIE
The HARD Way
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## CORRECTION

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Before the Nazis came to power, about one-seventh of the population of Europe belonged to one or another cooperative group."

Mr. Land concluded the reading of the article with the suggestion that no other grou pthan Rotary is better fitted to play an important part in readjustment than is Rotary International.

Rotary voted to put up $25 to help send a boy to Boy State in Baton Rouge.

Birthdays observed were those of Ben Downing and Bill Mintz.

Rotary guests were George Freeman, Shreveport; Paul J. Armstrong, new superintendent at L. T. I.; and R. H. Bolyard, Lafayette. Other guests were: C. C. Boardman, H. D. Graf and Major George Ross.

### LONG OPENS HEADQUARTERS

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—(AP)—Earl Long, candidate for governor, is asking who sent him a letter from out in the country which the writer said contained a list of about 25 Long backers. "This is a good letter, an intelligent letter but he forgot to sign his name," Long said in exhibiting the letter at his campaign headquarters here. Long has opened headquarters in the Pere Marquette building.

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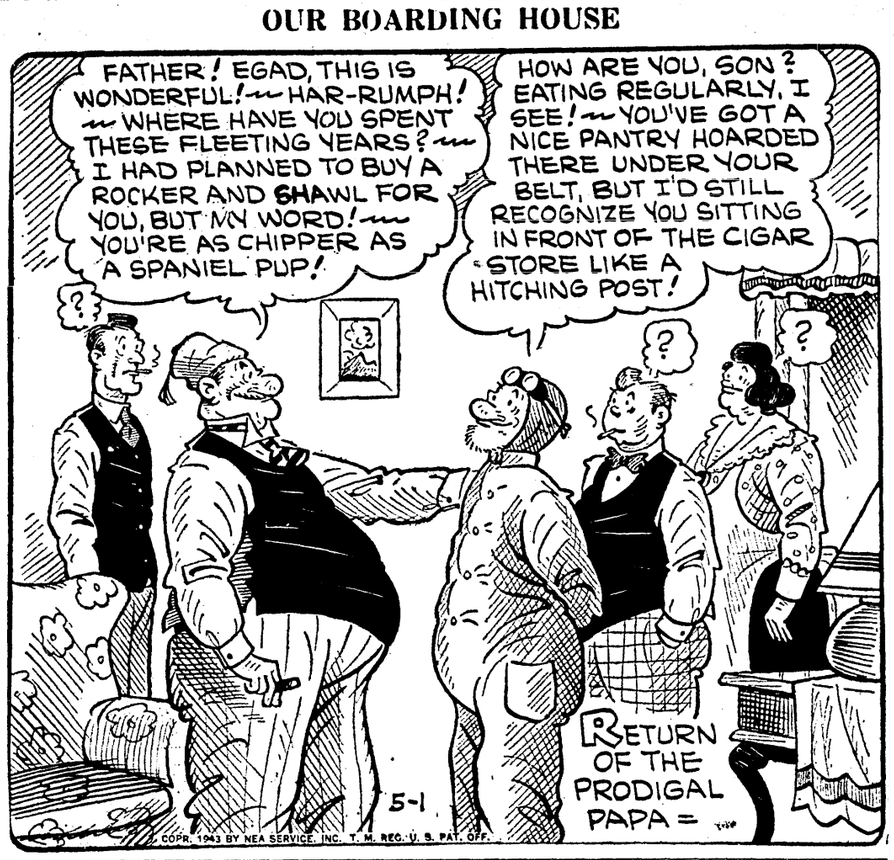
## OUR BOARDING HOUSE


FATHER! EGAD, THIS IS WONDERFUL! — HAR-RUMPH! — WHERE HAVE YOU SPENT THESE FLEETING YEARS? — I HAD PLANNED TO BUY A ROCKER AND SHAWL FOR YOU, BUT MY WORD! — YOU'RE AS CHIPPER AS A SPANIEL PUP!
HOW ARE YOU, SON? EATING REGULARLY, I SEE! — YOU'VE GOT A NICE PANTRY HOARDED THERE UNDER YOUR BELT, BUT I'D STILL RECOGNIZE YOU SITTING IN FRONT OF THE CIGAR STORE LIKE A HITCHING POST!
RETURN OF THE PRODIGAL PAPA =
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## SIDE GLANCES —By Galbraith

"Henry wouldn't miss turning that program off for anything!"

## DOMESTIC BIRD

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Pictured fowl
6 New
11 Transgression
12 Bustle
13 North Caucasian language
14 Not in
16 Leave out
18 Rub out
20 Wither
21 Greek letter
22 Birds' homes
23 Verily
24 Exists
26 Pair (abbr.)
27 Musical instrument
30 Drive forward
34 Avenue (abbr.)
35 Before
36 Discourage
39 Empty
41 Toward
42 Driving command
45 Negative
46 Narrative poem
49 Husks of wheat (pl.)
51 Verbal
55 Curve
56 Soil
57 Knot
58 Foot digit
59 Male
60 Paddle a boat
62 Spread
63 Arrival
64 Naval officer

**VERTICAL**

1 Measure of duration
2 One
3 Kathode (abbr.)
4 Paradise
5 Long ago
6 Be obliged
7 Poems
8 The gods
9 Ramble
10 Naked
11 Weep
15 Five plus five
17 It has a big feathered ——
19 Like
20 It lives on a ——
25 Therefore
26 3.1416
27 Ill-bred fellow
28 Night before
29 Allow
31 Vegetable
32 Sea eagle
33 Sheltered side
37 Engrave
38 International language
39 Within
40 Midday
42 Bestow
43 Organ of hearing
44 Entrance
46 We —— it on festive occasions
47 Canoe
48 Cooled
49 Plant seed
50 Footwear
52 Roster
53 Arabian gulf
54 Directed
59 Myself
61 War Office (abbr.)

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| A | N | N | A | B | O | E | T | T | I | G | E | R | | |
| P | L | E | A | S | T | E | E | P | E | R | O | S | | |
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## Amusing Stitchery For Dish Towels

7492

by Alice Brooks

The children will love "helping with the dishes"—if your kitchen towels sparkle with these motifs. These gay birds perform all sorts of amusing antics with household utensils in designs that are quick to do and very colorful. Pattern 7492 contains a transfer pattern of 6 motifs averaging 5¼ x 7⅛ inches; stitches; list of materials needed.

To obtain this pattern send ELEVEN CENTS in coins to The News-Star—World Publishing Corporation, Household Arts Dept., 259 W. 14th Street, New York, N. Y. Write plainly NAME, ADDRESS and PATTERN NUMBER. Delivery of patterns may take longer than usual because of the heavy volume of mail.

## THINKS TAX BILL TO GO THROUGH MAY 15

DALLAS, Tex., April 30.—(AP)—Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau anticipates final passage of the House ways and means committee pay-as-you-go income tax bill May 15. He said in an interview he would "do the impossible—get it going by July 1."

Under that procedure, the June 15 quarterly payment on income taxes would be a down payment on the 1943 levy, he indicated.

Louisiana is known as the Pelican state and the Creole state.

## MEATLESS, CLOSING DAYS AGREED UPON

At a meeting of restaurant and cafeteria operators in the Twin Cities Thursday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce office, a recommendation presented by a special sub-committee for a schedule of closing days and meatless ones was adopted.

A full announcement of the schedule will be made on Sunday and the program of meatless days and closings will become effective next week.

The sub-committee, appointed by George Hemphill, chairman of the restaurant group of the Chamber of Commerce, was composed of Bobby Pappas, chairman, Simmie Wood and Joe Guerriero.

The decision to close restaurants one day a week was made to accomplish two purposes, Mr. Hemphill stated. It will give restaurant employes a day off and will give the management an opportunity to thoroughly clean their establishments in accordance with the sanitation rules set forth by the army.

The establishment of a meatless day in each restaurant will cooperate with the government rationing program pertaining to meats and other rationed foods.

# RESOURCES OF AREA ARE TOLD

### Roland Cocreham Urges Development Of Section Adjacent To Ruston

RUSTON, La., April 30.—(Special)—Roland Cocreham, director of civilian defense in Louisiana and aide to Governor Sam H. Jones, urged greater development of resources throughout the south and in Louisiana particularly, in a talk in the Little theatre at Louisiana Tech Thursday morning. His appearances at Tech was sponsored by the Business Administration and Economics club of the college.

"Here at Ruston, for example," said Mr. Cocreham, there are possibilities for such industrial enterprises as meat packing plants. You also have fine clay in this territory that could be made into building bricks. With timber gradually disappearing, there will be increased demands for using bricks for buildings."

Mr. Cocreham cited advantages of developing the dairy industry in this area.

"You have land that can be made into fine pasturage by the use of lime," he said. "While the cost of transportation in the past has made the use of lime here almost prohibitive, we have now found limestone available in the southern end of Bienville parish, within a 50-mile radius of Ruston."

Pointing out that in 1940 Louisiana imported millions of dollars worth of poultry, dairy and other farm products, Mr. Cocreham said that the census showed that "we had 150,000 farms in Louisiana and that of those farms 34 per cent had no cows, 27 per cent no hogs, 11 per cent no chickens, and 16 per cent no vegeables."

He referred to the recent development of poultry business in Lincoln parish and cited its financial results, suggesting greater effort along those lines.

Mr. Cocreham, citing the south's abounding natural resources available for development, gave statistics showing that the south has "one-half of the nation's farm land and one-third of the nation's first-class farm land, with a 40-inch annual rainfall, 40 per cent of the nation's forests, one-fifth of the coal, one-half of the marble and many other mineral resources."

## NEGRO INDICTED IN PARSLEY DEATH

The special grand jury session called to meet Friday to consider the case of Willie Wright, 22, negro, charged with slaying Tom Parsley at a carnival here last Saturday, returned a true bill in which he was charged with murder.

His trial will come up at the spring term of district court which will open its sessions here next Monday.

A special ground-school course in "causes of error" is a prerequisite to the final stages of a bombardier's training.

JOE PALOOKA — A SIMPLE DECLARATION — By Ham Fisher

I SWEAR TO YOU THAT THO' WE HAVE SOME WHO CARE MORE FOR PERSONAL GAIN THAN FOR LIBERTY AN' JUSTICE TO ALL PEOPLE---
--THE GREAT MAJORITY OF AMERICANS STAND EXACTLY THE SAME AS THEY DID IN 1776 WITH A FIERCE LOVE OF JUSTICE AND LIBERTY--- AN' A FEW SELF-SEEKIN' PARASITES AN' OBSTRUCTIONISTS MEAN NOTHIN'---
---WE'RE FIGHTIN' THIS WAR FER HUMANITY, BENNY--- AN' I'M ASHAMED T'THINK THAT YOU OR ANYBUDDY ELSE HAS BEEN GIVEN A WRONG IMPRESSION BY THE CALAMITY-HOWLIN' OF A FEW.
JOE--YOU HAVE MADE ME VERY HAPPY--- MY ARMY IS AT YOUR DISPOSAL.
G-GOLLY--- THAN K'YOU, BENNY.
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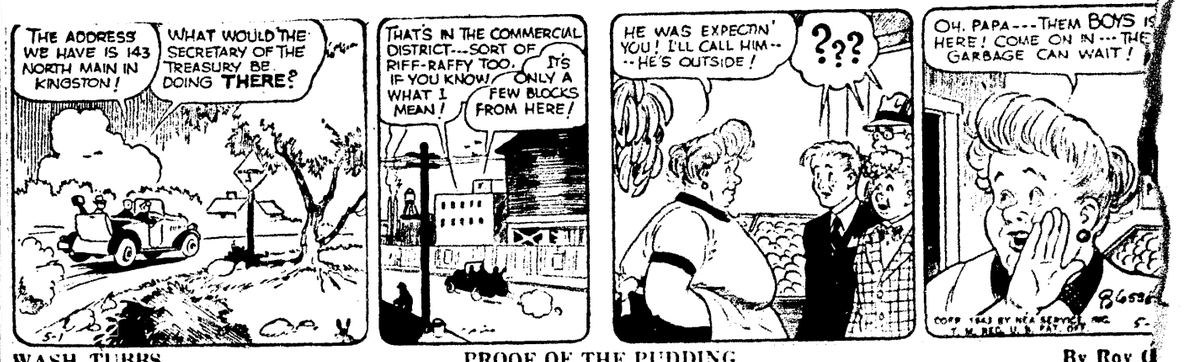
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — SLUMMING — By Merrill Blos


THE ADDRESS WE HAVE IS 143 NORTH MAIN IN KINGSTON!
WHAT WOULD THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY BE DOING THERE?
THAT'S IN THE COMMERCIAL DISTRICT---SORT OF RIFF-RAFFY TOO. IT'S ONLY A FEW BLOCKS FROM HERE!
IF YOU KNOW WHAT I MEAN!
HE WAS EXPECTIN' YOU! I'LL CALL HIM--- --HE'S OUTSIDE!
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OH, PAPA---THEM BOYS IS HERE! COME ON IN--- THE GARBAGE CAN WAIT!
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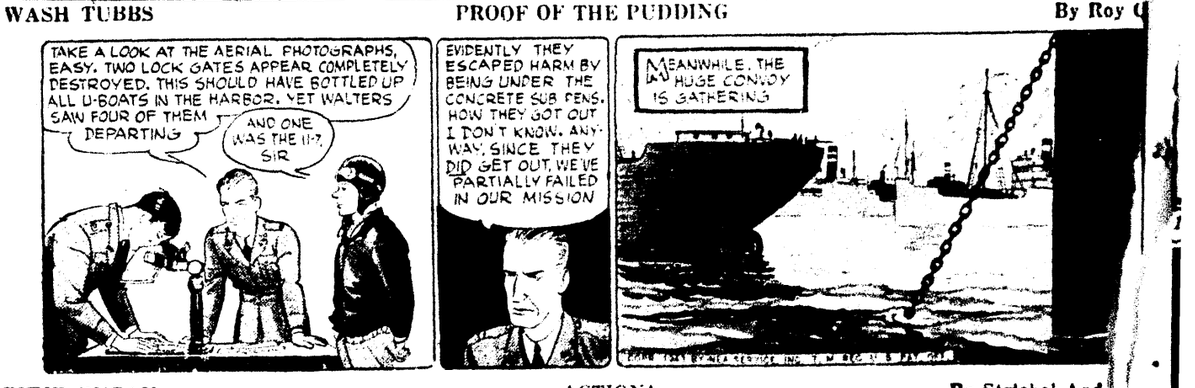
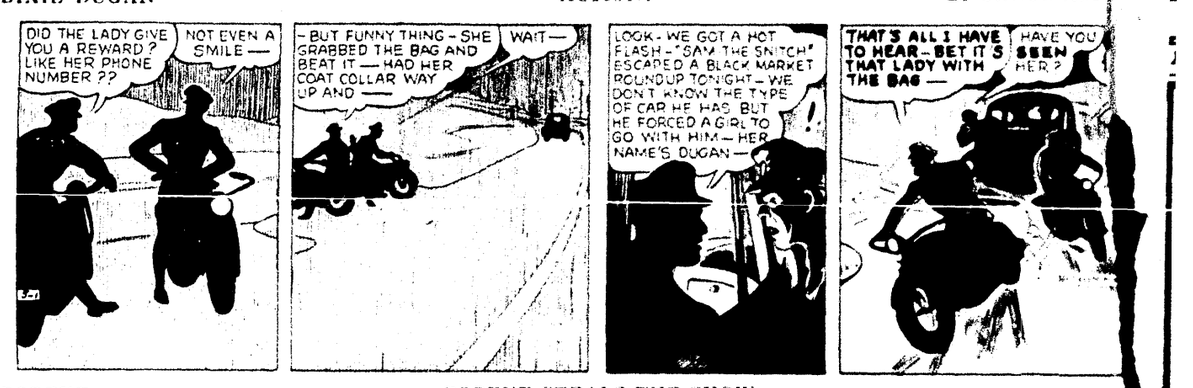
WASH TUBBS — PROOF OF THE PUDDING — By Roy C


TAKE A LOOK AT THE AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS, EASY. TWO LOCK GATES APPEAR COMPLETELY DESTROYED. THIS SHOULD HAVE BOTTLED UP ALL U-BOATS IN THE HARBOR. YET WALTERS SAW FOUR OF THEM DEPARTING
AND ONE WAS THE 11-7 SIR
EVIDENTLY THEY ESCAPED HARM BY BEING UNDER THE CONCRETE SUB PENS. HOW THEY GOT OUT I DON'T KNOW. ANYWAY, SINCE THEY DID GET OUT, WE'VE PARTIALLY FAILED IN OUR MISSION
MEANWHILE, THE HUGE CONVOY IS GATHERING

DIXIE DUGAN — ACTION! — By Striebel And


DID THE LADY GIVE YOU A REWARD? LIKE HER PHONE NUMBER??
NOT EVEN A SMILE ——
--BUT FUNNY THING - SHE GRABBED THE BAG AND BEAT IT — HAD HER COAT COLLAR WAY UP AND ——
WAIT——
LOOK - WE GOT A HOT FLASH - "SAM THE SNITCH" ESCAPED A BLACK MARKET ROUNDUP TONIGHT - WE DON'T KNOW THE TYPE OF CAR HE HAS BUT HE FORCED A GIRL TO GO WITH HIM — HER NAME'S DUGAN ——
THAT'S ALL I HAVE TO HEAR - BET IT'S THAT LADY WITH THE BAG ——
HAVE YOU SEEN HER?

POPEYE — POPEYE STEALS THE SHOW

I HEARD YOU CALL FOR HELP, PEGGY, MY SWEET — I SHALL SAVE YOU FROM GUTTER-RAT GUS
SAILOR, FIRST
LOOK WHO COME'D IN
I INSIST YOU GO AT ONCE, YOU WICKED SAILOR
YA DON'T SAY?
IF YOU REFUSE TO GO, DO YOU KNOW WHAT I SHALL DO TO YOU?
I DON'T KNOW. BUT-
IF YA TRIES TO KISS ME, I'LL BE YER BRAINS OUT WIT' ME LITTL FINGER!
GOODNESS GRACIOUS!
HA HA HA HA HA HA

DICK TRACY — NOSE TO THE GRINDSTONE — By Chester Gou

TAKING THE GRINDING WHEEL FROM THE PIANO TUNER'S BAG, DICK TRACY AND PAT PATTON DEPART FOR HEADQUARTERS -
HOW DOES THIS GRINDING WHEEL TIE IN, TRACY?
JUST THIS WAY, PAT: IN THE MANUFACTURING OF THE DAGGER.
I'M GOING TO THE LABORATORY AND MAKE TESTS OF THE METAL PARTICLES FOUND ON THAT STONE, ALSO COMPARISON TESTS FOR GRINDING MARKS ON THE HANDLE OF THIS DAGGER
WHAT I WANT YOU TO DO IS GET OUT AT THE NEXT CORNER AND GO BACK TO THE DOVE CLUB SHADOW THAT PIANO TUNER TILL YOU HEAR FROM ME
WHAT DO YOU FIND, NOLAN?
H'M!
THERE'S NO QUESTION ABOUT IT, TRACY. THE METAL PARTICLES FOUND ON THIS GRINDING WHEEL CAME OFF THAT STEAK KNIFE! SAME METAL!
PAT'S ON THE PHONE. HE WANTS TO KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY WORD FOR HIM.
I WAS JUST GOING TO CALL YOU, PAT. ARREST OUR PIANO TUNER FRIEND AND BRING HIM IN IMMEDIATELY. IN HANDCUFFS!

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1. No business control of any sort should be left in Nazi hands anywhere in the world.

2. Until Germany has regained its place in civilized society no German resident of Germany should be allowed to own or control any enterprise beyond the borders of Germany.

"After the period of reconstruction and rehabilitation, the administrators should turn the properties back to their rightful owners, whenever the latter can be found. If there is no one else to raise a claim, either because the enterprises have always been in German hands or because the legitimate owners have been killed without leaving heirs, the administrators would have various alternatives. They could sell them to competent, trustworthy individuals, perhaps even financing such men. Or they could adopt a third alternative: turn them into cooperatives.

Before the Nazis came to power, about one-seventh of the population of Europe belonged to one or another cooperative group."

Mr. Land concluded the reading of the article with the suggestion that no other grou pthan Rotary is better fitted to play an important part in readjustment than is Rotary International.

Rotary voted to put up $25 to help send a boy to Boy State in Baton Rouge.

Birthdays observed were those of Ben Downing and Bill Mintz.

Rotary guests were George Freeman, Shreveport; Paul J. Armstrong, new superintendent at L. T. I.; and R. H. Bolyard, Lafayette. Other guests were: C. C. Boardman, H. D. Graf and Major George Ross.

### LONG OPENS HEADQUARTERS

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—(AP)—Earl Long, candidate for governor, is asking who sent him a letter from out in the country which the writer said contained a list of about 25 Long backers. "This is a good letter, an intelligent letter but he forgot to sign his name," Long said in exhibiting the letter at his campaign headquarters here. Long has opened headquarters in the Pere Marquette building.

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## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

FATHER! EGAD, THIS IS WONDERFUL!— HAR-RUMPH! — WHERE HAVE YOU SPENT THESE FLEETING YEARS? — I HAD PLANNED TO BUY A ROCKER AND SHAWL FOR YOU, BUT MY WORD! — YOU'RE AS CHIPPER AS A SPANIEL PUP!
HOW ARE YOU, SON? EATING REGULARLY, I SEE! — YOU'VE GOT A NICE PANTRY HOARDED THERE UNDER YOUR BELT, BUT I'D STILL RECOGNIZE YOU SITTING IN FRONT OF THE CIGAR STORE LIKE A HITCHING POST!
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## SIDE GLANCES —By Galbraith

"Henry wouldn't miss turning that program off for anything!"

## DOMESTIC BIRD

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Pictured fowl
6 New
11 Transgression
12 Bustle
13 North Caucasian language
14 Not in
16 Leave out
18 Rub out
20 Wither
21 Greek letter
22 Birds' homes
23 Verily
24 Exists
26 Pair (abbr.)
27 Musical instrument
30 Drive forward
34 Avenue (abbr.)
35 Before
36 Discourage
39 Empty
41 Toward
42 Driving command
45 Negative
46 Narrative poem
49 Husks of wheat (pl.)
51 Verbal
55 Curve
56 Soil
57 Knot
58 Foot digit
59 Male
60 Paddle a boat
62 Spread
63 Arrival
64 Naval officer

**VERTICAL**

1 Measure of duration
2 One
3 Kathode (abbr.)
4 Paradise
5 Long ago
6 Be obliged
7 Poems
8 The gods
9 Ramble
10 Naked
11 Weep
15 Five plus five
17 It has a big feathered —
19 Like
20 It lives on a —
25 Therefore
26 3.1416
27 Ill-bred fellow
28 Night before
29 Allow
31 Vegetable
32 Sea eagle
33 Sheltered side
37 Engrave
38 International language
39 Within
40 Midday
42 Bestow
43 Organ of hearing
44 Entrance
46 We — it on festive occasions
47 Canoe
48 Cooled
49 Plant seed
50 Footwear
52 Roster
53 Arabian gulf
54 Directed
59 Myself
61 War Office (abbr.)

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

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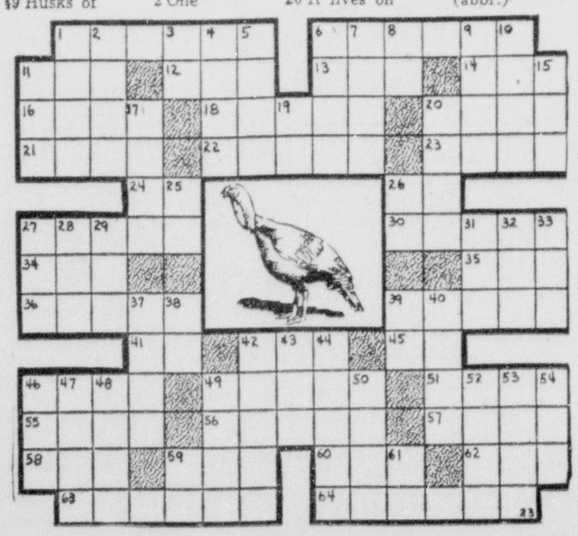

## Amusing Stitchery For Dish Towels

7492

by Alice Brooks

The children will love "helping with the dishes"—if your kitchen towels sparkle with these motifs. These gay birds perform all sorts of amusing antics with household utensils in designs that are quick to do and very colorful. Pattern 7492 contains a transfer pattern of 6 motifs averaging 5¼ x 7⅛ inches; stitches; list of materials needed.

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## THINKS TAX BILL TO GO THROUGH MAY 15

DALLAS, Tex., April 30.—(AP)—Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau anticipates final passage of the House ways and means committee pay-as-you-go income tax bill May 15. He said in an interview he would "do the impossible—get it going by July 1."

Under that procedure, the June 15 quarterly payment on income taxes would be a down payment on the 1943 levy, he indicated.

Louisiana is known as the Pelican state and the Creole state.

## MEATLESS, CLOSING DAYS AGREED UPON

At a meeting of restaurant and cafeteria operators in the Twin Cities Thursday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce office, a recommendation presented by a special sub-committee for a schedule of closing days and meatless ones was adopted.

A full announcement of the schedule will be made on Sunday and the program of meatless days and closings will become effective next week.

The sub-committee, appointed by George Hemphill, chairman of the restaurant group of the Chamber of Commerce, was composed of Bobby Pappas, chairman, Simmie Wood and Joe Guerriero.

The decision to close restaurants one day a week was made to accomplish two purposes, Mr. Hemphill stated. It will give restaurant employes a day off and will give the management an opportunity to thoroughly clean their establishments in accordance with the sanitation rules set forth by the army.

The establishment of a meatless day in each restaurant will cooperate with the government rationing program pertaining to meats and other rationed foods.

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# RESOURCES OF AREA ARE TOLD

### Roland Cocreham Urges Development Of Section Adjacent To Ruston

RUSTON, La., April 30.—(Special)—Roland Cocreham, director of civilian defense in Louisiana and aide to Governor Sam H. Jones, urged greater development of resources throughout the south and in Louisiana particularly, in a talk in the Little theatre at Louisiana Tech Thursday morning. His appearances at Tech was sponsored by the Business Administration and Economics club of the college.

"Here at Ruston, for example," said Mr. Cocreham, there are possibilities for such industrial enterprises as meat packing plants. You also have fine clay in this territory that could be made into building bricks. With timber gradually disappearing, there will be increased demands for using bricks for buildings."

Mr. Cocreham cited advantages of developing the dairy industry in this area.

"You have land that can be made into fine pasturage by the use of lime," he said. "While the cost of transportation in the past has made the use of lime here almost prohibitive, we have now found limestone available in the southern end of Bienville parish, within a 50-mile radius of Ruston."

Pointing out that in 1940 Louisiana imported millions of dollars worth of poultry, dairy and other farm products, Mr. Cocreham said that the census showed that "we had 150,000 farms in Louisiana and that of those farms 34 per cent had no cows, 27 per cent no hogs, 11 per cent no chickens, and 16 per cent no vegeables."

He referred to the recent development of poultry business in Lincoln parish and cited its financial results, suggesting greater effort along those lines.

Mr. Cocreham, citing the south's abounding natural resources available for development, gave statistics showing that the south has "one-half of the nation's farm land and one-third of the nation's first-class farm land, with a 40-inch annual rainfall, 40 per cent of the nation's forests, one-fifth of the coal, one-half of the marble and many other mineral resources."

## NEGRO INDICTED IN PARSLEY DEATH

The special grand jury session called to meet Friday to consider the case of Willie Wright, 22, negro, charged with slaying Tom Parsley at a carnival here last Saturday, returned a true bill in which he was charged with murder.

His trial will come up at the spring term of district court which will open its sessions here next Monday.

A special ground-school course in "causes of error" is a prerequisite to the final stages of a bombardier's training.

JOE PALOOKA — A SIMPLE DECLARATION — By Ham Fisher

I SWEAR TO YOU THAT THO' WE HAVE SOME WHO CARE MORE FOR PERSONAL GAIN THAN FOR LIBERTY AN' JUSTICE TO ALL PEOPLE···
···THE GREAT MAJORITY OF AMERICANS STAND EXACTLY THE SAME AS THEY DID IN 1776 WITH A FIERCE LOVE OF JUSTICE AND LIBERTY··· AN' A FEW SELF-SEEKIN' PARASITES AN' OBSTRUCTIONISTS MEAN NOTHIN'···
···WE'RE FIGHTIN' THIS WAR FER HUMANITY, BENNY··· AN I'M ASHAMED T'THINK THAT YOU OR ANYBUDDY ELSE HAS BEEN GIVEN A WRONG IMPRESSION BY THE CALAMITY-HOWLIN' OF A FEW.
JOE···YOU HAVE MADE ME VERY HAPPY··· MY ARMY IS AT YOUR DISPOSAL.
G-GOLLY··· THAN K'YOU, BENNY.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — SLUMMING — By Merrill Blos

THE ADDRESS WE HAVE IS 143 NORTH MAIN IN KINGSTON!
WHAT WOULD THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY BE DOING THERE?
THAT'S IN THE COMMERCIAL DISTRICT··· SORT OF RIFF-RAFFY TOO. IF YOU KNOW WHAT I MEAN!
IT'S ONLY A FEW BLOCKS FROM HERE!
HE WAS EXPECTIN' YOU! I'LL CALL HIM··· ···HE'S OUTSIDE!
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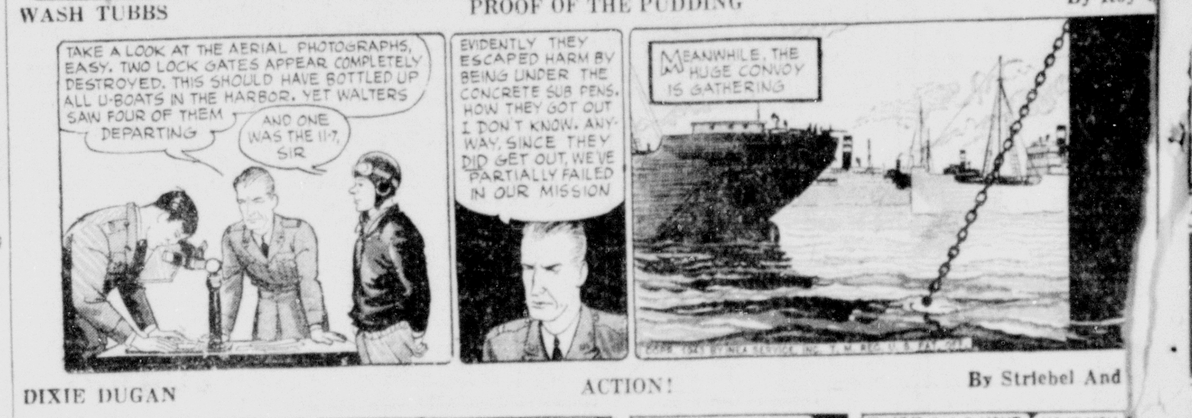
OH, PAPA··· THEM BOYS IS HERE! COME ON IN··· THE GARBAGE CAN WAIT!

WASH TUBBS — PROOF OF THE PUDDING — By Roy C


TAKE A LOOK AT THE AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS, EASY. TWO LOCK GATES APPEAR COMPLETELY DESTROYED. THIS SHOULD HAVE BOTTLED UP ALL U-BOATS IN THE HARBOR. YET WALTERS SAW FOUR OF THEM DEPARTING
AND ONE WAS THE 11-7, SIR
EVIDENTLY THEY ESCAPED HARM BY BEING UNDER THE CONCRETE SUB PENS. HOW THEY GOT OUT I DON'T KNOW. ANYWAY, SINCE THEY DID GET OUT, WE'VE PARTIALLY FAILED IN OUR MISSION
MEANWHILE, THE HUGE CONVOY IS GATHERING

DIXIE DUGAN — ACTION! — By Striebel And

DID THE LADY GIVE YOU A REWARD? LIKE HER PHONE NUMBER??
NOT EVEN A SMILE—
-BUT FUNNY THING - SHE GRABBED THE BAG AND BEAT IT — HAD HER COAT COLLAR WAY UP AND —
WAIT—
LOOK - WE GOT A HOT FLASH - "SAM THE SNITCH" ESCAPED A BLACK MARKET ROUNDUP TONIGHT - WE DON'T KNOW THE TYPE OF CAR HE HAS BUT HE FORCED A GIRL TO GO WITH HIM — HER NAME'S DUGAN —
THAT'S ALL I HAVE TO HEAR - BET IT'S THAT LADY WITH THE BAG —
HAVE YOU SEEN HER?

POPEYE — POPEYE STEALS THE SHOW — By Chester Gol


I HEARD YOU CALL FOR HELP, PEGGY, MY SWEET — I SHALL SAVE YOU FROM GUTTER-RAT GUS
SAILOR, FIRST
LOOK WHO COME'D IN
YOU'LL HAVE TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT THIS
I INSIST YOU GO AT ONCE, YOU WICKED SAILOR
4A DON'T SAY?
IF YOU REFUSE TO GO, DO YOU KNOW WHAT I SHALL DO TO YOU? I DON'T KNOW. BUT-
IF 4A TRIES TO KISS ME, I'LL BE YER BRAINS OUT WIT' ME LITTL FINGER!
GOODNESS GRACIOUS!
HA HA HA HA HA HA

DICK TRACY — NOSE TO THE GRINDSTONE

TAKING THE GRINDING WHEEL FROM THE PIANO TUNER'S BAG, DICK TRACY AND PAT PATTON DEPART FOR HEADQUARTERS—
HOW DOES THIS GRINDING WHEEL TIE IN, TRACY?
JUST THIS WAY, PAT: IN THE MANUFACTURING OF THE DAGGER
I'M GOING TO THE LABORATORY AND MAKE TESTS OF THE METAL PARTICLES FOUND ON THAT STONE, ALSO COMPARISON TESTS FOR GRINDING MARKS ON THE HANDLE OF THIS DAGGER
WHAT I WANT YOU TO DO IS GET OUT AT THE NEXT CORNER AND GO BACK TO THE DOVE CLUB SHADOW THAT PIANO TUNER TILL YOU HEAR FROM ME
WHAT DO YOU FIND, NOLAN?
H'M!
THERE'S NO QUESTION ABOUT IT, TRACY. THE METAL PARTICLES FOUND ON THIS GRINDING WHEEL CAME OFF THAT STEAK KNIFE! SAME METAL!
PAT'S ON THE PHONE. HE WANTS TO KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY WORD FOR HIM.
I WAS JUST GOING TO CALL YOU, PAT. ARREST OUR PIANO TUNER FRIEND AND BRING HIM IN IMMEDIATELY. IN HANDCUFFS!

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## AUTOMOTIVE

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# VET TELLS OF JAP ATTACK

## Lieutenant Brown, Naval Officer At Selman, Talks To Cadets

By A/C D. Vinik

Few people have been privileged enough to hear a first hand account of the barbarous attack on Pearl Harbor, Dec. 7, 1941, by a competent naval officer who had been on duty at the time.

Lieutenant Maurice B. Brown, naval representative in Pre-flight's Naval Forces department, having been on the U. S. S. Detroit at the time, delivered just such an account in an interesting and impressive lecture to cadets and officers of this post on April 21.

The account began with Lieutenant Brown having just come off duty and anticipating a quiet Sunday morning for rest. His rest was interrupted, however, by a series of terrific nearby explosions. It sounded catastrophe in every explosion and the lieutenant surmised just what was up.

Dressing quickly, he ran to the deck. The explosions were heard louder and closer. Battle stations were manned immediately in an orderly manner amidst the now heavy bombardment. Lieutenant Brown, at his gunnery station, found the attack so totally organized and the feature element of surprise so astounding that manning the guns at the various stations didn't seem to do much good. As a matter of fact, not a single gun on the Detroit was fired. Standing by, the lieutenant could see smoke pouring from the blasted decks of ships on the other side of the island naval base to which the Detroit was moored. Maneuvering to avoid direct hits of the enemy was impossible since all the ships were moored abreast of the island or in docks. However, by efficient management the Detroit did get under way and out of fire in less than 20 minutes.

By this time the harbor was a maze of burning, smoking hulks, with all other ships scrambling for the harbor's narrow channel. One of our aircraft carriers was seen listing badly to the port side, literally straining itself to keep afloat. The ship had been hit in the engine space and also by a bomb in its after compartments. In desperation, commands came for heaving the port side catapults overboard, then the port chains. The Raleigh did survive the vicious ordeal. Our old battleship, Utah, attempting to get through the pass, suffered heavily from the bombing attack. Making way to the channel it had been struck with its last and fatal blow. Fortunately, the capable command had anticipated the predicament of having it go under where it was and blocking the only exit from the harbor. It was spun around with its last and strained effort just clearing the pass and rammed up onto the sand and coral shore.

Speaking on his own qualified, personal views in the matter, Lieutenant Brown suggested to the group that the whole brutal plan of the enemy was "carried out to the most minute details." Apparently, he said, they had information that served to design for them a brilliant stage already set for their premeditated destruction. Pilots of the attacking force were said to be equipped with actual photographs of their specific objective, with all sorts of information to aid them in their task.

Lieutenant Brown revealed just to what extent strafing of both military and civilian personnel took place. Officers and men having been on leave and attempting to get back to their ships were particularly valuable targets to the enemy. In one instance an automobile loaded with six naval officers played "cat and mouse" with a Jap pilot. The men and the driver sat low down on the floorboards zigzagging across the road in the most reckless display of driving anyone might ever see. In still another case, an engine mechanic, having been knocked down by shrapnel, was riddled by another Jap pilot's machine gun. Such practices were common throughout the whole horrible ordeal.

One hundred and five aircraft were said to have participated in the attack. Where they came from was anybody's guess, but apparently from one of their nearby bases. The surprise element was so great that only a few of our aircraft were able to get off the field. Low flying, strafing and level bombing pitted the available air fields and knocked out most of our craft. Our own fliers, unable to get into the air, used their unmounted machine guns against the enemy.

The score of dead and wounded presents a vivid picture of just how fateful the situation proved itself. Both the army and navy losses were close to 4,000 dead and 1,200 wounded. A total of 177 army and navy airplanes were knocked out. Compared with 48 Jap aircraft lost, we can well imagine just how much there is to be made up.

Lieutenant Brown answered many questions by the cadets and officers in an interesting and informal manner following the lecture. One promising cadet provoked considerable laughter when he asked, "Is it true that Admiral Kimmel and General Short weren't on speaking terms?"

The question bee was as interesting as the lecture itself, though, and many a doubtful item was cleared up. In closing, Lieutenant Brown stressed how wrong our ideas have been regarding that sallow skinned, short creature with the thick horn rimmed glasses. The Japanese are a definite threat to our security and they make a much tougher enemy to cope with than our people have been willing to recognize, he said.

"The Japs hate the white," continued the lieutenant. "They have been trained to do so." On top of this they have a fanatical spirit and a love for their emperor, he said.

The session closed in a good-humored vein with each of its participants equipped with a clearer understanding of just what did actually take place at Pearl Harbor on the one day we all pledge to remember.

# EYE CHENNAULT, STILWELL VISIT

## See Significance In Trip Of Two Leading China Air Force Men

By Kirke L. Simpson

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—The approaching climax in the battle of Tunisia provides a significant background for the Washington visit of the two leading American military figures in the China-India-Burma war theater, Lieutenant General Joseph W. Stilwell and Major General Claire L. Chennault.

They were called home, Secretary Stimson indicated, in line with war department policy of "periodic visits" by high ranking officers long in the field. Asked if projects for renewed bombing of Tokyo or other Japanese cities had anything to do with their trip, he said:

"Can you look me straight in the eye and expect me to answer that?"

Conferences with Stimson, General George C. Marshall, chief of staff, and others, probably including President Roosevelt, are scheduled for Stilwell and Chennault. Stilwell commands all American army forces in the China-India-Burma theater and also is chief of staff to the Chinese generalissimo, Chiang Kai-Shek. Chennault commands the American 14th air force in China.

Despite official reticence as to the significance of the Stilwell-Chennault summons, the global war situation presents some obvious features of importance to their commands. The campaign to clear the French African hump of Axis forces is approaching completion. Once it is cleared, Allied use of the short-line Mediterranean route from the Atlantic to the Indian ocean can be restored to ease Allied problems of transport to China and India.

There were indications at the time of the Roosevelt-Churchill conferences in Casablanca that, aside from establishing attack or invasion bases against the "soft" southern flank of the Axis European fortress, success in the African campaign was expected to buttress strongly the Allied position in the China-India-Burma zone.

Immediately after Casablanca, two highly-placed Allied officials, Field Marshal Sir John Dill, of the British-American joint staff, and General H. H. Arnold, commanding the American army air forces, flew to India and China for consultation with British and Chinese officials. They spent ten days talking with Chiang Kai-Shek and General Stilwell and others, and with Field Marshal Sir Archibald P. Wavell, British commander in India and Burma. An announcement from New Delhi at that time said "complete accord was reached in coordination of offensive plans."

In that light and emphasized by increasingly favorable developments in Tunisia, the present Washington visit of Stilwell and Chennault has stirred wide conjecture as to impending new Allied moves on the far flank of Japan's conquest zone.

There is no probability that any official glimpse of Allied intentions in the coming months in the China-India-Burma theater will be forthcoming from the Stilwell-Chennault visit. There is, however, every reason to regard it as related to plans for using the Mediterranean route for Allied shipping to Indian ocean destinations.

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## REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

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TWO 5-ROOM HOUSES and baths in 2700 block Dick Taylor St. $1,800 each. Phone 5400. 5-7-A

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3 HOUSES and large lots located on Monroe-Alexandria highway at Columbia. Rents for $60 per month. Will accept $4,500. 302 Ouachita Bank Bldg. Phone 5400. 5-1-A

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

### 86—Houses For Sale

3-BEDROOM HOME. 7 rooms and bath. Porches. Lot 70x150. In good condition. For quick sale owner will accept $4,750. On N. 4th St. Phone 5400. 5-6-A

5-ROOM HOUSE and 2 lots. Located near Bancroft Bag Factory. $2,500. Phone 5400. 5-2-A

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# VET TELLS OF JAP ATTACK

## Lieutenant Brown, Naval Officer At Selman, Talks To Cadets

By A/C D. Vinik

Few people have been privileged enough to hear a first hand account of the barbarous attack on Pearl Harbor, Dec. 7, 1941, by a competent naval officer who had been on duty at the time.

Lieutenant Maurice B. Brown, naval representative in Pre-flight's Naval Forces department, having been on the U. S. S. Detroit at the time, delivered just such an account in an interesting and impressive lecture to cadets and officers of this post on April 21.

The account began with Lieutenant Brown having just come off duty and anticipating a quiet Sunday morning for rest. His rest was interrupted, however, by a series of terrific nearby explosions. It sounded catastrophe in every explosion and the lieutenant surmised just what was up.

Dressing quickly, he ran to the deck. The explosions were heard louder and closer. Battle stations were manned immediately in an orderly manner amidst the now heavy bombardment. Lieutenant Brown, at his gunnery station, found the attack so totally organized and the feature element of surprise so astounding that manning the guns at the various stations didn't seem to do much good. As a matter of fact, not a single gun on the Detroit was fired. Standing by, the lieutenant could see smoke pouring from the blasted decks of ships on the other side of the island naval base to which the Detroit was moored. Maneuvering to avoid direct hits of the enemy was impossible since all the ships were moored abreast of the island or in docks. However, by efficient management the Detroit did get under way and out of fire in less than 20 minutes.

By this time the harbor was a maze of burning, smoking hulks, with all other ships scrambling for the harbor's narrow channel. One of our aircraft carriers was seen listing badly to the port side, literally straining itself to keep afloat. The ship had been hit in the engine space and also by a bomb in its after compartments. In desperation, commands came for heaving the port side catapults overboard, then the port chains. The Raleigh did survive the vicious ordeal. Our old battleship, Utah, attempting to get through the pass, suffered heavily from the bombing attack. Making way to the channel it had been struck with its last and fatal blow. Fortunately, the capable command had anticipated the predicament of having it go under where it was and blocking the only exit from the harbor. It was spun around with its last and strained effort just clearing the pass and rammed up onto the sand and coral shore.

Speaking on his own qualified, personal views in the matter, Lieutenant Brown suggested to the group that the whole brutal plan of the enemy was "carried out to the most minute details." Apparently, he said, they had information that served to design for them a brilliant stage already set for their premeditated destruction. Pilots of the attacking force were said to be equipped with actual photographs of their specific objective, with all sorts of information to aid them in their task.

Lieutenant Brown revealed just to what extent strafing of both military and civilian personnel took place. Officers and men having been on leave and attempting to get back to their ships were particularly valuable targets to the enemy. In one instance an automobile loaded with six naval officers played "cat and mouse" with a Jap pilot. The men and the driver sat low down on the floorboards zig-zagging across the road in the most reckless display of driving anyone might ever see. In still another case, an engine mechanic, having been knocked down by shrapnel, was riddled by another Jap pilot's machine gun. Such practices were common throughout the whole horrible ordeal.

One hundred and five aircraft were said to have participated in the attack. Where they came from was anybody's guess, but apparently from one of their nearby bases. The surprise element was so great that only a few of our aircraft were able to get off the field. Low flying, strafing and level bombing pitted the available air fields and knocked out most of our craft. Our own fliers, unable to get into the air, used their unmounted machine guns against the enemy.

The score of dead and wounded presents a vivid picture of just how fateful the situation proved itself. Both the army and navy losses were close to 4,000 dead and 1,200 wounded. A total of 177 army and navy airplanes were knocked out. Compared with 48 Jap aircraft lost, we can well imagine just how much there is to be made up.

Lieutenant Brown answered many questions by the cadets and officers in an interesting and informal manner following the lecture. One promising cadet provoked considerable laughter when he asked, "Is it true that Admiral Kimmel and General Short weren't on speaking terms?"

The question bee was as interesting as the lecture itself, though, and many a doubtful item was cleared up. In closing, Lieutenant Brown stressed how wrong our ideas have been regarding that sallow skinned, short creature with the thick horn rimmed glasses. The Japanese are a definite threat to our security and they make a much tougher enemy to cope with than our people have been willing to recognize, he said.

"The Japs hate the white," continued the lieutenant. "They have been trained to do so." On top of this they have a fanatical spirit and a love for their emperor, he said.

The session closed in a good-humored vein with each of its participants equipped with a clearer understanding of just what did actually take place at Pearl Harbor on the one day we all pledge to remember.

### NOT SAME MAN

The Bob Weatherly who was fined $7.50 in city court here Wednesday was not the man of that name residing at 210 Austin street, West Monroe, it was declared yesterday. Address of the Weatherly named in city court was listed by police as 711 Calypso street, Monroe.

# EYE CHENNAULT, STILWELL VISIT

## See Significance In Trip Of Two Leading China Air Force Men

By Kirke L. Simpson

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—The approaching climax in the battle of Tunisia provides a significant background for the Washington visit of the two leading American military figures in the China-India-Burma war theater, Lieutenant General Joseph W. Stilwell and Major General Claire L. Chennault.

They were called home, Secretary Stimson indicated, in line with war department policy of "periodic visits" by high ranking officers long in the field. Asked if projects for renewed bombing of Tokyo or other Japanese cities had anything to do with their trip, he said:

"Can you look me straight in the eye and expect me to answer that?"

Conferences with Stimson, General George C. Marshall, chief of staff, and others, probably including President Roosevelt, are scheduled for Stilwell and Chennault. Stilwell commands all American army forces in the China-India-Burma theater and also is chief of staff to the Chinese generalissimo, Chiang Kai-Shek. Chennault commands the American 14th air force in China.

Despite official reticence as to the significance of the Stilwell-Chennault summons, the global war situation presents some obvious features of importance to their commands. The campaign to clear the French African hump of Axis forces is approaching completion. Once it is cleared, Allied use of the short-line Mediterranean route from the Atlantic to the Indian ocean can be restored to ease Allied problems of transport to China and India.

There were indications at the time of the Roosevelt-Churchill conferences in Casablanca that, aside from establishing attack or invasion bases against the "soft" southern flank of the Axis European fortress, success in the African campaign was expected to buttress strongly the Allied position in the China-India-Burma zone.

Immediately after Casablanca, two highly-placed Allied officials, Field Marshal Sir John Dill, of the British-American joint staff, and General H. H. Arnold, commanding the American army air forces, flew to India and China for consultation with British and Chinese officials. They spent ten days talking with Chiang Kai-Shek and General Stilwell and others, and with Field Marshal Sir Archibald P. Wavell, British commander in India and Burma. An announcement from New Delhi at that time said "complete accord was reached in coordination of offensive plans."

In that light and emphasized by increasingly favorable developments in Tunisia, the present Washington visit of Stilwell and Chennault has stirred wide conjecture as to impending new Allied moves on the far flank of Japan's conquest zone.

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American correspondent with U. S. forces in the central Pacific.
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WITH A U. S. ARMY AERIAL TASK FORCE IN THE CENTRAL PACIFIC, April 23.—(Delayed)—It will cost you 10 hours in the cramped forward compartment of a four-motored Liberator bomber for a five-minute preview of the destruction facing Japan, but it is a bargain price for the spectacle you see.

The lieutenant colonel in the pilot's seat nudged the lieutenant colonel in the co-pilot's seat beside him and pointed at a geyser of smoke spouting from a little Coral atoll in the distance.

"Nauru dead ahead, general," he announced over the inter-communication system. Brigadier General Truman H. Landon, commander of bomber operations in the central Pacific, acknowledged the message from the rear of our bomber where he was manning a waist gun and serving as command pilot.

It was almost noon April 21.

The four-engined Liberators, striking twice in force within 36 hours, carried out the longest aerial task force mission of the war, an outstanding navigational feat considering that the bombers flew farther than from England to Iran just to reach an advanced base within striking distance of their targets. The actual bombing flights required further expert navigation.

It was the opening phase in a new campaign of "guerilla style" aerial warfare in the Pacific. To knock out the valuable phosphate plants on Nauru island was the first objective of our aerial task force.

The second mission, which was carried out early today, found the Liberators striking against the Japanese base at Tarawa in the northern Gilbert islands.

Visibility was unlimited as we approached oval-shaped Nauru, where the Japanese last August seized the important phosphate works and constructed an airfield to guard the outer approaches to their island fortress of Truk, 1,000 miles northwest.

There was no need to wonder whether the earlier waves of bombers found their objective. Flames were shooting hundreds of feet into the air.

One of the bombers which made the early visit carried Major General Willis H. Hale, commander of the 7th air force, who also led the Tarawa assault.

Since the pre-dawn takeoff we had flown over hundreds of miles of open sea. Now a bee-line course carried us toward a pinpoint target, another perfect job to the credit of our navigator, Captain Roy R. Bright, 28, of Minnesota.

"It's a great day for our side," Sergeant Elwood Shouldis, 26, Salt Lake City, our chief radio man, shouted.

A glance at the target showed three distinct fires blazing along Nauru's southwestern and western coastal area, where the Japanese had constructed an airdrome and took over the British installations. Four-fifths of the atoll, which has an area of 8 1-2 square miles, is phosphate bearing.

Just then Staff Sergeant Grant Lewis, 26, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., called out from his gun station in the rear of the plane:

"Two planes ahead and below. Look like Zeroes."

To this inexperienced observer they all looked like Zeroes just then, even the four big Liberators which now swung away from the target in close formation and headed for home. The Zeroes trailed several hundred yards behind them, apparently reluctant to challenge the bombers' firepower.

Staff Sergeant Carlyle Elrod, 22, Anderson, Ind., our engineer, pivoted around in the top turret and watched the sky but his guns remained silent.

Below and ahead of us four more Liberators sped over the target, heaping fresh devastation on the blazing installations.

Black smoke billowed from a point midway along the air field, showing a direct hit on oil storage tanks. At the southwest end of the runway gasoline stores sent up bright orange flames. To the northwest fires blazed in the marine barracks and on the air field itself were three medium bombers, one burning.

We looked for the main objective, the phosphate works, and saw both plants had been battered. Even from the air it was obvious that months of repair work would be necessary before the Japanese could obtain processed phosphates from Nauru for fertilizer and munitions production.

The importance of this is indicated by the fact that Nauru and nearby Ocean island contributed eight per cent of the world's pre-war supply.

Lieutenant Colonel William Holzapfel, Racine, Wis., the pilot, and Co-Pilot Lieutenant Colonel Jay Rutledge, Jr., Syracuse, N. Y., re-checked their instruments at that moment and Holzapfel yelled:

"We're going in—hold tight!"

Bursts of anti-aircraft fire blossomed around us and you could hear fragments spatter against the fuselage, but we kept a steady course.

Lieutenant Oliver Franklin, 35, Honolulu, the bombardier, jammed his head into the bombsight.

"Bombs away," Franklin reported, and you could see the big fellows plummeting at the target for a brief moment, and then the explosions made a pattern along a row of red-roofed machine shops, smashing them to bits.

The roar of the motors drowned out the sound of the explosions but you could see the debris hurtling through the air.

"Wow, look at the fires our bombs started," said Sergeant Richard Anderson, 24, Brookline, Mass., as we circled and came back for another view.

Now word came over the communication system that the first planes over the island had encountered fierce opposition from nine Zeroes.

In that maneuver, the Japanese were duped, for they actually sent out all available fighters against the first few bombers, leaving the coast clear for the rest to shuttle over the target.

All our bombers returned to base. On our side of the ledger were at least one Zero shot down, another probably destroyed and three damaged.

On the way home now, I asked Landon:

"Is this always what happens when a couple of generals and a couple of lieutenant colonels keep an appointment with the Japs?"

"This is only the beginning," he replied.

And today, two days later, his forecast became a reality when our bombers returned to the northern Gilberts where they subjected the Japanese base at Tarama to a heavy pre-dawn attack.

More than 30,000 pounds of bombs cascaded on either side of the runway which the Japanese constructed after they seized the former British colony last autumn.

The Liberators remained over the target for 45 minutes. One intercepting Zero was shot down and another probably damaged, while a medium bomber was burned on the ground.

Even the heavy bomb loads of the Liberators failed to satisfy crew members, and men in some planes took along small fragmentation bombs which they threw out as the Liberators crossed over the runway.

General Hale flew in the lead plane to Tarawa.

## OUR MEN IN SERVICE

H. F. Hunt, G. M. second class, has been transferred from the United States naval hospital in Charleston, S. C., to the United States naval hospital in New Orleans, La. He writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Hunt, 2107 South Grand street, Monroe, that his hand which was injured some time ago is healing fine but he will be confined to the hospital for several months.

## SONG FEST WILL BE GIVEN SUNDAY

A song fest will be held in St. James Methodist church, colored, 914 Adams street, Sunday, May 2, at 2:30 p.m.

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# EXPLAIN WHAT MINERS WANT

## Lewis Contends Their Wages Are Still Below The Standard

By James Marlow And George Zielke

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—What price miners?

What do John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers get, how did they get it, how much do they want to keep on digging coal to stoke the nation's war furnaces?

Lewis says their wages are still substandard.

The bureau of labor statistics here says the average weekly earnings of bituminous (soft coal) miners climbed from $23.84 in 1937 to $35.02 in 1942 and to $41.49 in February, 1943, nearly a 100 per cent increase.

Such figures, Lewis' organization claims, show gross earnings only and do not constitute "take-home" pay, which will be explained later.

Lewis says the cost of food in mining communities has gone up 124.6 per cent between August, 1939, and now—a period in which general living costs for the nation as a whole have risen 22 per cent—and that miners spend 60 to 70 per cent of their income on food because their work is hard.

Earlier this month the Office of Price Administration probed such Lewis complaints on food costs at Santyglo, Pennsylvania mining town, and reported prices on 50 items there were as low or lower than in New York or Washington. Yesterday the OPA promised more investigations.

About 450,000 bituminous miners are involved in the agreements which the U. M. W. has renewed every two years with the mine owners since 1935.

The present agreement, signed in 1941, expired April 1, 1943.

But miners and owners agreed to extend their working arrangement another 30 days to permit further negotiations—which began last March—on a new contract. That extension ends at midnight tonight.

When the miners and owners started conferences in March the latter group produced these figures to show the rise in bituminous miners' pay scales over the years:

In 1935 the rate for day work inside the mines was $5.50 and went up to $7 a day in the agreement just ended, with the miners working a regular 7-hour day, 5-day week.

Lewis now is demanding a $2-a-day increase, with an $8 minimum, pay for all time spent in the mines—from the time a man enters a mine and gets to his job and back from his job to the mouth of the mine—and unionization of all supervisory employes.

(Miners now do not get paid for the time it take them to get to and from the job inside the mine. The U. M. W., calling this unfair, says that in one West Virginia field miners approximate 52 hours underground but receive only 35-hours' pay, the regular time.)

The mine owners told the War Labor Board that—because of the wording of the miners' demands—they don't know whether the $2 increase would include pay for the time miners spend getting to the job inside the mine or whether it means $2 per day and extra money for the time going to and from the job underground.

"That has never been clarified throughout all these lengthy discussions," said Charles O'Neill, spokesman for the northern mine owners.

The mine owners say:

"The basic rate for inside work is $7 per day, on a few jobs less than this rate is paid, but on all others the rate is higher, averaging $7.16 to $9 per day."

O'Neill said the demands would cost the industry $750,000,000 extra for 1943. Lewis has estimated that figure as being $500,000,000 too high and said the nation would scarcely notice the difference.

The U. M. W. says:

"Is everything the miner gets 'take-home' pay? Not by a long shot. He must pay for his tools, blasting powder, caps and fuse. He pays for the upkeep of his pit light and must buy special working clothes, including three to five pairs of expensive rubber boots a year."

That $2-a-day wage increase and minimum of $8 a day sought by Lewis would be in excess of the 15 per cent wage increase which the War Labor Board set up as a formula last fall to compensate for increased living costs between January 1, 1941 and May, 1942.

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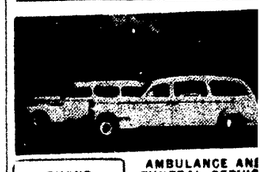

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American correspondent with U. S. forces in the central Pacific.
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WITH A U. S. ARMY AERIAL TASK FORCE IN THE CENTRAL PACIFIC, April 23.—(Delayed)—It will cost you 10 hours in the cramped forward compartment of a four-motored Liberator bomber for a five-minute preview of the destruction facing Japan, but it is a bargain price for the spectacle you see.

The lieutenant colonel in the pilot's seat nudged the lieutenant colonel in the co-pilot's seat beside him and pointed at a geyser of smoke spouting from a little Coral atoll in the distance.

"Nauru dead ahead, general," he announced over the inter-communication system. Brigadier General Truman H. Landon, commander of bomber operations in the central Pacific, acknowledged the message from the rear of our bomber where he was manning a waist gun and serving as command pilot.

It was almost noon April 21.

The four-engined Liberators, striking twice in force within 36 hours, carried out the longest aerial task force mission of the war, an outstanding navigational feat considering that the bombers flew farther than from England to Iran just to reach an advanced base within striking distance of their targets. The actual bombing flights required further expert navigation.

It was the opening phase in a new campaign of "guerilla style" aerial warfare in the Pacific. To knock out the valuable phosphate plants on Nauru island was the first objective of our aerial task force.

The second mission, which was carried out early today, found the Liberators striking against the Japanese base at Tarawa in the northern Gilbert islands.

Visibility was unlimited as we approached oval-shaped Nauru, where the Japanese last August seized the important phosphate works and constructed an airfield to guard the outer approaches to their island fortress of Truk, 1,000 miles northwest.

There was no need to wonder whether the earlier waves of bombers found their objective. Flames were shooting hundreds of feet into the air.

One of the bombers which made the early visit carried Major General Willis H. Hale, commander of the 7th air force, who also led the Tarawa assault.

Since the pre-dawn takeoff we had flown over hundreds of miles of open sea. Now a bee-line course carried us toward a pinpoint target, another perfect job to the credit of our navigator, Captain Roy R. Bright, 28, of Minnesota.

"It's a great day for our side," Sergeant Elwood Shouldis, 26, Salt Lake City, our chief radio man, shouted.

A glance at the target showed three distinct fires blazing along Nauru's southwestern and western coastal area, where the Japanese had constructed an airdrome and took over the British installations. Four-fifths of the atoll, which has an area of 8 1-2 square miles, is phosphate bearing.

Just then Staff Sergeant Grant Lewis, 26, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., called out from his gun station in the rear of the plane:

"Two planes ahead and below. Look like Zeroes."

To this inexperienced observer they all looked like Zeroes just then, even the four big Liberators which now swung away from the target in close formation and headed for home. The Zeroes trailed several hundred yards behind them, apparently reluctant to challenge the bombers' firepower.

Staff Sergeant Carlyle Elrod, 22, Anderson, Ind., our engineer, pivoted around in the top turret and watched the sky but his guns remained silent.

Below and ahead of us four more Liberators sped over the target, heaping fresh devastation on the blazing installations.

Black smoke billowed from a point midway along the air field, showing a direct hit on oil storage tanks. At the southwest end of the runway gasoline stores sent up bright orange flames. To the northwest fires blazed in the marine barracks and on the air field itself were three medium bombers, one burning.

We looked for the main objective, the phosphate works, and saw both plants had been battered. Even from the air it was obvious that months of repair work would be necessary before the Japanese could obtain processed phosphates from Nauru for fertilizer and munitions production.

The importance of this is indicated by the fact that Nauru and nearby Ocean island contributed eight per cent of the world's pre-war supply.

Lieutenant Colonel William Holzapfel, Racine, Wis., the pilot, and Co-Pilot Lieutenant Colonel Jay Rutledge, Jr., Syracuse, N. Y., re-checked their instruments at that moment and Holzapfel yelled:

"We're going in—hold tight!"

Bursts of anti-aircraft fire blossomed around us and you could hear fragments spatter against the fuselage, but we kept a steady course.

Lieutenant Oliver Franklin, 35, Honolulu, the bombardier, jammed his head into the bombsight.

"Bombs away," Franklin reported, and you could see the big fellows plummeting at the target for a brief moment, and then the explosions made a pattern along a row of red-roofed machine shops, smashing them to bits.

The roar of the motors drowned out the sound of the explosions but you could see the debris hurtling through the air.

"Wow, look at the fires our bombs started," said Sergeant Richard Anderson, 24, Brookline, Mass., as we circled and came back for another view.

Now word came over the communication system that the first planes over the island had encountered fierce opposition from nine Zeroes.

In that maneuver, the Japanese were duped, for they actually sent out all available fighters against the first few bombers, leaving the coast clear for the rest to shuttle over the target.

All our bombers returned to base. On our side of the ledger were at least one Zero shot down, another probably destroyed and three damaged.

On the way home now, I asked Landon:

"Is this always what happens when a couple of generals and a couple of lieutenant colonels keep an appointment with the Japs?"

"This is only the beginning," he replied.

And today, two days later, his forecast became a reality when our bombers returned to the northern Gilberts where they subjected the Japanese base at Tarama to a heavy pre-dawn attack.

More than 30,000 pounds of bombs cascaded on either side of the runway which the Japanese constructed after they seized the former British colony last autumn.

The Liberators remained over the target for 45 minutes. One intercepting Zero was shot down and another probably damaged, while a medium bomber was burned on the ground.

Even the heavy bomb loads of the Liberators failed to satisfy crew members, and men in some planes took along small fragmentation bombs which they threw out as the Liberators crossed over the runway.

General Hale flew in the lead plane to Tarawa.

## OUR MEN IN SERVICE

H. F. Hunt, G. M. second class, has been transferred from the United States naval hospital in Charleston, S. C., to the United States naval hospital in New Orleans, La. He writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Hunt, 2107 South Grand street, Monroe, that his hand which was injured some time ago is healing fine but he will be confined to the hospital for several months.

## SONG FEST WILL BE GIVEN SUNDAY

A song fest will be held in St. James Methodist church, colored, 914 Adams street, Sunday, May 2, at 2:30 p.m.

The pastor, Rev. J. D. McCrory, extends an invitation to the public and reserved seats will be provided for white friends who attend.

# EXPLAIN WHAT MINERS WANT

## Lewis Contends Their Wages Are Still Below The Standard

By James Marlow And George Zielke

WASHINGTON, April 30.—(AP)—What price miners?

What do John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers get, how did they get it, how much do they want to keep on digging coal to stoke the nation's war furnaces?

Lewis says their wages are still substandard.

The bureau of labor statistics here says the average weekly earnings of bituminous (soft coal) miners climbed from $23.84 in 1937 to $35.02 in 1942 and to $41.49 in February, 1943, nearly a 100 per cent increase.

Such figures, Lewis' organization claims, show gross earnings only and do not constitute "take-home" pay, which will be explained later.

Lewis says the cost of food in mining communities has gone up 124.6 per cent between August, 1939, and now—a period in which general living costs for the nation as a whole have risen 22 per cent—and that miners spend 60 to 70 per cent of their income on food because their work is hard.

Earlier this month the Office of Price Administration probed such Lewis complaints on food costs at Santyglo, Pennsylvania mining town, and reported prices on 50 items there were as low or lower than in New York or Washington. Yesterday the OPA promised more investigations.

About 450,000 bituminous miners are involved in the agreements which the U. M. W. has renewed every two years with the mine owners since 1935.

The present agreement, signed in 1941, expired April 1, 1943.

But miners and owners agreed to extend their working arrangement another 30 days to permit further negotiations—which began last March—on a new contract. That extension ends at midnight tonight.

When the miners and owners started conferences in March the latter group produced these figures to show the rise in bituminous miners' pay scales over the years:

In 1935 the rate for day work inside the mines was $5.50 and went up to $7 a day in the agreement just ended, with the miners working a regular 7-hour day, 5-day week.

Lewis now is demanding a $2-a-day increase, with an $8 minimum, pay for all time spent in the mines—from the time a man enters a mine and gets to his job and back from his job to the mouth of the mine—and unionization of all supervisory employes.

(Miners now do not get paid for the time it take them to get to and from the job inside the mine. The U. M. W., calling this unfair, says that in one West Virginia field miners approximate 52 hours underground but receive only 35-hours' pay, the regular time.)

The mine owners told the War Labor Board that—because of the wording of the miners' demands—they don't know whether the $2 increase would include pay for the time miners spend getting to the job inside the mine or whether it means $2 per day and extra money for the time going to and from the job underground.

"That has never been clarified throughout all these lengthy discussions," said Charles O'Neill, spokesman for the northern mine owners.

The mine owners say:

"The basic rate for inside work is $7 per day, on a few jobs less than this rate is paid, but on all others the rate is higher, averaging $7.16 to $9 per day."

O'Neill said the demands would cost the industry $750,000,000 extra for 1943. Lewis has estimated that figure as being $500,000,000 too high and said the nation would scarcely notice the difference.

The U. M. W. says:

"Is everything the miner gets 'take-home' pay? Not by a long shot. He must pay for his tools, blasting powder, caps and fuse. He pays for the upkeep of his pit light and must buy special working clothes, including three to five pairs of expensive rubber boots a year."

That $2-a-day wage increase and minimum of $8 a day sought by Lewis would be in excess of the 15 per cent wage increase which the War Labor Board set up as a formula last fall to compensate for increased living costs between January 1, 1941 and May, 1942.

The miners got their last raise in April, 1941, and ranged, according to the owners' records, from $1 to $1.40 a day.

President Roosevelt's "hold the line" order against inflation April 8 would keep wages to that War Labor Board formula and permit no increases except where "clearly necessary to correct substandards of living."

Lewis' answer to that was: "The president's statement still leaves the miners' hungry."

But—the contract of the U. M. W.'s anthracite miners, about 100,000 of them, also expires at midnight tonight, bringing to 550,000 the total number of miners involved in wage disputes. Among them they blanket the field of coal upon which the war machine depends.

## BISHOP VISITS TROOPS

BELFAST, NORTHERN IRELAND, April 30.—(AP)—Bishop Adna W. Leonard, representing 31 Protestant denominations in a tour of United States army posts overseas, paid a flying visit to United States troops in Northern Irleand today and conferred with army chaplains.

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